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When Sheriffs Lived in the Saddle



Thrilling Incidents From the Career of Harry Morse, Early Minion of the Law

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THE most noted police official of California's pioneer days, after Captain Harry Love.

whose chief claim to distinction lay in the fact that he killed the notorious bandit, Joaquin Murietta, was Harry Morse, sheriff of Alameda county from 1863 to 1877. Many of his bravest deeds were performed in this county, but his duties called him to all parts of the state, and for a long time it might be said that he lived in the saddle.

Murietta was snuffed out too soon for Morse to have had a chance at him, but Morse did eventually meet the woman with whom the bandit consorted during the years of his outlawry, the notorious Rosita, who has been the subject of so much mushy romance on the part of California fiction-smiths.

Murietta's headquarters during the latter part of his career was located at a place known as Arroyo Cantua, and when he started on his last northward raid, he left Rosita behind. She took up with a man named Charles Baker, and when Murietta returned he found her at Baker's cabin. He shot her in the arm, slashed her across the face and breast, and, leaving her for dead, fired the cabin.

It was in 1872, about nineteen years after the death of Murietta, that Morse and Sheriff Tom Cunningham of San Joaquin county chanced to meet Rosita in San Benito county, when she showed them the scars of the wounds she had received from Murietta. Morse said that even then she was a fine-looking woman.

After the extermination of Murietta's band, Narciso Bojorques, Narra Ponce, Juan Soto, Antonio Garcia, Clodoveo Chavez and Tiburcio Basquez were successively the leaders of gangs of bandits that operated from Alameda county southward, from 1860 to 1875.

Bojorques, leaving behind in Southern California a career of crime, made his headquarters in the mountains overlooking the San Joaquin valley, salting forth as suited his pleasure and convenience to commit murders and depredations. He became the terror of San Joaquin, as he had been of Southern California. There was no doubt in the community mind as to his guilt of the many crimes committed in the valley, and he was arrested several times, but managed to escape punishment each time by having the witnesses put out of the way. Every celebrated criminal has a specialty, and getting rid of witnesses was that of Bojorques.

He signaled his advent in the San Joaquin region by a ghastly wholesale murder—that of the Golding family, whose bodies were found in the ruins of their burned dwelling. From the limb of a tree just outside was discovered hanging the body of a vaquero.

Bojorques, unanimously believed guilty, was arrested, charged with participation in the quadruple murder, but at the trial nothing could be proved against him. His supposed accomplices, Tomaso Rodendo, better known by his alias of Ponce, a nephew of Joaquin Murietta, and Celano Ortega also escaped punishment for the time.

The next exploit of Bojorques was performed in partnership with Procopio. They stole a herd of cattle and drove them to Alvarado. A warrant for their arrest was issued, but before it could be served they disappeared. Bojorques could not be traced, but Constable Wood was deputed to get Procopio, who, after shooting at the officer, took refuge in the salt marsh near Alvarado. He was surrounded by a cordon of armed men, forced to surrender, jailed, tried, convicted, and sentenced to a nine-year term in San Quentin.

During his flight from Wood, he swam a stream with his pistol in his mouth, with a knife in his hand, and a small bag of gold in his pocket. He was arrested at Alisal (now Pleasanton), he shot him, dragged him from his horse and robbed him of \$120. But the circumstances were such that it was impossible to prove the crime against him. All the robberies were traced to Bojorques, and he knew that he was suspected by the people, and yet, reckless and defiant, he appeared among them daily. Morse immediately left for Mission San Jose, where he got on the track of Bojorques. From there he went to Foscini's store at Alisal, where he was told that Bojorques had passed that place but five minutes before, mounted on a stout horse and carrying in his hand an additional brand-new saddle. Surmising that Bojorques would return that way, Morse concealed himself in the rear of the little store. Within half an hour Bojorques returned on a gallop, and Morse, who was waiting in the rear, shot him.

men shooting at him from every angle, but managed to make his way to the salt marsh.

The community breathed a sigh of relief when he was landed safe in prison. His record of crime long antedated the murder of the Golding family. He was suspected of complicity in the murder of a Los Angeles man named John Rains which had occurred four years previously.

After his release from San Quentin a number of daring mail robberies took place in Southern California, of which he was suspected, and his name became more of a terror even than it had been. The San Francisco police learned that he was visiting their city and tracked him to a restaurant in Morton street, a brway cutting Kearney street between Geary and Post. His quick eye detected the two officers entering by the front door and his hands fell to the two pistols he carried conveniently in a belt, but as he turned to rise he saw two revolvers pointed at him from behind and gave himself up. Against lesser numbers he could have put up a formidable battle barehanded, for he was six feet tall and powerful. His face was as ugly as his disposition. He was unfavorably known to most of the sheriffs of the state.

Taken to the San Leandro jail, he was tried and convicted and on April 25, 1872, sentenced to ten years at San Quentin.

Bojorques, escaping from Alvarado, went to Mariposa county, where he committed a robbery. He was arrested and spent three months in jail, but when the case came to trial he was discharged, for the simple reason that there were no witnesses against him.

Returning to his old stamping-ground, he committed another daring and brutal crime. Riding up to a mounted butcher named Gun-

Officer Served in Alameda County for Fourteen Years at Most Lawless Time

In front of the store and was invited to enter. Some instinct seem to warn him of the trap within, for he refused. Seeing that his man would not dismount, Morse came forward.

As the sheriff advanced he plunged his right hand into his left breast pocket to get the pair of handcuffs he kept there, but before he had advanced to within six feet of Bojorques, he found himself covered by the bandit's revolver, a formidable weapon, six inches long.

Bojorques pressed the trigger, but the pistol missed fire, and before he could repeat, Morse had his revolver out and was shooting. His first ball, although it wounded, failed to bring Bojorques from the saddle. His second entered the bandit's side, causing him to throw up his arm with a groan.

Dropping his pistol, Bojorques put spurs to his horse, jumping him over a high fence into an enclosure, and heading for the hills. Unable to hurdle the opposite fence, Bojorques dismounted and started for a ravine near by, Morse following on foot.

Climbing a fence, the sheriff could see Bojorques in the distance entering the chaparral.

He was not heard of again until when, five months later, news came that he had been killed by an American bandit known as "One-eyed Jack" in a Copperopolis bar-room.

The year 1868 was a busy one for Morse. On the night of June 29, Lazra Higuera and Rafael Altamareno became involved in a dispute over a game of cards at Laddsville, in Murray Township, and Tiguera drew a knife, cutting Altamareno about the face and almost severing his arm above the elbow. Agastone Ruiz interfered, telling Higuera not to kill Altamareno, whereupon the knife-wielder turned upon him, and Ruiz was compelled to fire thrice in self-defense. Higuera was so weak from loss of blood that Sheriff Morse could not remove him.

On September 28, two men, named Lighton and Newell engaged in a dispute over a dog fight in Castro Valley, back of Hayward. Newell drew a revolver and shot Lighton through the head, inflicting a wound of which he died six



Presented above is the likeness of the late Harry Morse, sheriff of Alameda county from 1863 to 1877 and principal actor in some of the most thrilling exploits chronicled in California.

days later.

Newell, mounting his horse, escaped. Sheriff Morse immediately took the trail, accompanied by Constable Morehouse, afterward a member of the State Board of Equalization. Upward of 200 miles of territory was covered in their search, during which they ransacked the coal mines of Contra Costa and Alameda counties.

Returning to San Leandro, they learned that Newell had gone to Southern California. Again they took a chase, which led over mountain and desert, occasionally hearing of their quarry and again losing all trace. At last they came upon the decomposing remains of his dead horse and finally discovered the man himself, working on the Anaheim and Los Angeles railroad under an assumed name.

Morse brought his man to San Leandro, where he was tried, convicted and sentenced to prison.

(NOTE: This is the first in a series of articles by John L. Considine on the career of Harry Morse, early-day sheriff of Alameda county. The second will be published next week.)

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Exit Bob Ford, Ex-Bandit

Man Who Killed Outlaw Jesse James; How He Met His Death in Colorado

By William P. De Wolf

"WHAT! Ed O'Kelly stand up to Bob Ford?" That toy-pistol tough mix it with the man who killed Jesse James? The idea was absurd. Creede roared with laughter at the humor of the suggestion. Then, in the middle of a loud guffaw, sobered suddenly to start agape at the inconceivable.

Coming from such a source the threat did seem idle and futile. No one gave it serious thought—not even Ford, who was always on hair-trigger and ready to force an issue at the slightest hint of trouble. Still, you never can tell how the play will break in a mining camp. To quote a saying of the old West: "The gentleman wins and the gambler loses, or the other way round, but the game is never finished until the showdown."

O'Kelly's bet, though, looked like "no pair." It didn't interest Ford. He passed it up. That's where he made a mistake. A fatal one.

Physically, O'Kelly was a big man; big enough to have broken Ford with his bare hands. At heart he was yellow, as events proved. By rights he should have been a miner. By choice he was a bar-room hanger-on. His ambition was to be considered a tough citizen. Creede laughed at that pretension. Laughed the louder when he muttered something about "doing Bob Ford." The camp didn't know what it was all about; didn't inquire and wasn't interested.

Creede wasn't even a name until Nicholas C. Creede, lazing around in the San Juan country prospecting in 1890, discovered a vein rich in silver which he called the "Holy Moses." A few weeks later Creede, a two-gun, damper-eyed Colorado mining camp, was "born."

The time was ripe. There hadn't been a high-pressure mining rush in the Rockies since the Leadville excitement in the '70's and the '80's, so the West was all set and ready to go.

Sixty days after the old prospecting and his burro squatted on the Holy Moses, Creede had a population of 3,000. Within a few months the population had increased to nearly 10,000, and Creede had entered upon a career of one production and spectacular stunts which continued until Congress pulled the props from under the silver mining industry.

They were all there, the gunmen, grafters and kindred cuntry. Life was cheap and whisky dear. Cy Warman, editor of the "Creede Chronicle," sized up the rich, roistering, reckless camp pretty well in a bit of doggerel verse that ended thus: "This day all day in the daytime, and there is no night in Creede."

San Luis street was crowded with humanity, pack-burros and dogs. Harried mule-skinner guided their eight, ten and twelve-mule teams through the mob to an accompaniment of profanity and ribald hectoring. Major Wasson's toll-road, gateway to the camp, was blocked with wagons and freight. The hastily-established postoffice was swamped with mail. To sort and deliver it properly was a physical impossibility. The distracted postmaster did his best; but finally, in despair, dumped everything except the first-class and registered mail into several big packing cases and let the crowd help itself.

Among the first to arrive in Creede was "Pen" Parker, a noted character of the old West. Parker worked what was known as the "pen game," hence his nickname. He was a great whale of a man, a civil war veteran, and a most entertaining and likable rascal. His graft was both simple and lucrative. Wrapping a five-dollar bill around a pen, he would place it among several dozen other pens clothed in stage-money, and let the "come-ons" take their pick for a dollar a throw. No one in Creede was a good picker. The genial old fakir told me with delightful humor that he had met none who were during his travels. Parker paved the way for his

"spread" by marching down the street playing "Yankee Doodle" on a tin whistle. A crowd of grinning men always trailed along behind. The scene reminded one of the Pied Piper of Hamelin. Arriving at his stand, the colossal old gentleman would discard the tin whistle for a long-barreled war drum and beat out the charge. At the stirring roll of the drum the sordid camp faded for the moment into the background to be replaced by a vision of serried ranks of blue and gray grappling on red battlefields.

Bob Ford, accompanied by "Little Dot," his woman, drifted into Creede from Walsenburg, and opened the Leadville dance hall. As a bad-man, Ford didn't tally with the generally accepted idea of a killer. For that matter, few gunmen do. Mostly they are at vari-

physical coward, but his morale was shaken. His thin face bore the latent expression of one who listens for a step to come; his restless eyes held the furtive look of one with whom dread is ever present.

On the streets he walked close to the brightly-painted false fronts of the rude buildings, with quick glances to right and left. Indoors he always stood with his back against the wall. At a bar he invariably took up a position where, in the mirror at its back, he could scan the movements of those behind him. This precaution probably saved his life one night. A stranger entered a saloon, saw Ford, and made a motion as though to draw a gun. The latter caught the man's eye and movement in the glass. The stranger's hand dropped quickly to his side and dodging through the crowd he hurried from the place an escaped under cover of the darkness.

While fearful of a shot from behind, the ex-outlaw at times took desperate chances. He and "Soapy" Smith were sworn enemies. It was expected by all, devoutly wished by many, that Ford and Smith would mix it and kill each other. One



ance with the big, blarney, blustering, be-guiled and be-mustached characters portrayed as seen on the stage and screen. Usually they are small or medium-sized men, quiet and retiring, who park their artillery out of sight and shoot first and talk afterward. Ford was such.

At this time some ten or twelve years had passed since Bob Ford, then a boy of 22, treacherously shot and killed Jesse James the notorious Missouri outlaw. By all accounts, the bandit was fond of the youth, made him his messenger and trusted him more implicitly than any member of his band except his brother Frank. Bob repaid this friendship by shooting James in the back, without warning, as he was hanging a picture. In attempted palliation of his perfidy, Ford claimed that James mistrusted him and intended to kill him. So far as known, there is no evidence to warrant this contention. That the \$30,000 reward offered by Governor Crittenden of Missouri for the body of James, dead or alive, was the motive for his act, is a more plausible theory.

From the hour of James' death Ford was never free of apprehension. The thoughts inspired by his cowardly act led him to fear retribution at the hands of some friend of the murdered outlaw. He seemed always to be on the watch for something threatening; to live in hourly anticipation of something dangerous. He was in no sense a

gave Ford entered the Denver club, Sam's gambling-place, with the intent on forcing a showdown. The absence of Smith from the camp is all that prevented one or both of them from being carried out lifeless. On another occasion Ford, drunk and truculent, with other worthies in like condition ran riot through the streets of Creede—"put the camp to bed," as the saying goes, at 9 o'clock at night.

Cy Warman printed a scorching editorial in the "Creede Chronicle," against this act of lawlessness. In reply Ford sent word to Warman that he would "get" the Chronicle's force to a man. For weeks thereafter, in fact, until Ford passed out, the "Chronicle" outfit, from editor to printer's devil, went armed. Lon Hartigan used to write his copy with a "45" on the desk convenient to his hand in momentary expectation of Ford's visit. Hartigan was a nifty Irishman and a sure shot. This may have had something to do with Ford's failure to make the promised call.

Nobody knew when or whence O'Kelly came to Creede. We all knew where he went from there—to the penitentiary at Canon City to do a life stretch for killing Bob Ford. To paraphrase the words of Ray Samuel's topical song it wasn't

Both Barrels of a Shotgun Emptied at Point Blank Range Mark Final Chapter

what he did, it was the way he did it that Creede objected to and punished.

Whatever their failings the men of the camps tolerate no deviation from the rules in a gunplay. Their code in that respect is as strict as the Mosaic law. It knows no turning. Shoot it out four-square and the camp is with you. Pull something dirty and you're flashed; done for, abandoned, friendless.

The unexpected happened on a hot, early summer afternoon in 1892.

The clear rarified atmosphere of that altitude afforded nothing of coolness to temper the ardent rays of the sun beating upon the rough pine buildings and board sidewalks of the camp. Shut up there in the hills like a fireman in the stokehold of a ship, Creede sweated and swore and impatiently numbered the lagging hours ere nightfall and a change in temperature. The streets were without life or movement. Even the restless leaves of the quaking aspens hung dead and motionless in the heated windless air. The snow-capped peaks, gleaming white through purple veils of haze, were an added aggravation, the green depths of the forests below them an additional irritant.

In our room across the street from the Leadville dance hall, Hartigan and I puttered listlessly with an assortment of trout flies, preparatory to a fishing trip on the morrow. Below our window a couple of burros stood with drooping heads, adrowse in the sunbeam. Through the screened opening we had an unobstructed view of the resort opposite. From up the street came the muffled thud of a horse's feet in the thick dust. The sound grew near. We looked from the window without interest and saw the rider pull up in front of the Leadville

It was O'Kelly. A double-barreled shotgun lay across his knees.

The sight galvanized us into action. As we sprang from the window to the street, O'Kelly swung from his mount and entered the dance hall. Ford was waiting slowly down the long room with his back toward the door.

"Oh Bob!" shouted O'Kelly and as his victim turned, he dove with both barrels. The shot, without scattering, struck the unfortunate man full in the throat. He fell dead without a sound.

Creede came to life at the roar of O'Kelly's gun and streaked it for the Leadville dance hall. On the floor, his head almost torn from his shoulders, lay the man who had slain Jesse James—victim of an assassin killed without warning and without a chance, as he himself had murdered his former chieftain.

Pending over Ford's mangled form, weeping sadly, was Little Dot, the single woman in all the world who loved him.

Looking up, and seeing us, she whispered, "Bob was a good man."

And Hartigan, thinking probably of the dead man's threat to "get" the "Chronicle" force, whispered to me:

"Yes, Bob is a good man—Now."

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AN ANGEL CLOSE UP

Admiral Sims, at a dinner in Washington, was discussing his recent declaration to the effect that the German submarine attacks were, in the main, a myth.

"The World War," he said, "gave rise to a good many myths. Do you remember the Angels at Mons?"

"An intelligence officer was questioning a British Tomard about these angels once."

"Did you really see them?" he asked.

"I did, indeed, sir," the Tomard answered.

"Close up?"

"Close up—so close that I distinctly recognized my poor dear Aunt Anne!"

NOT TAKING SIDES

Senator La Follette, at a dinner in Madison, was talking about a fight between two rival trusts.

"Looking on this fierce fight," he said, "I feel like the woman who saw her husband fight a bear. She said afterward that it was the first fight she ever had watched where she didn't care who was licked."

Geraldine on Alimony

Broken Hearts That May Be Partly or Wholly Cured by a Settlement in Cash Gang Is Called in to Pass Judgment on Common Practice of Marital Misfits

A LIMONY—IS IT SOMETHING FOR NOTHING? ALIMONY—IS IT AN ITCHING PALM COLLECTING FOR A "BROKEN HEART?"

ALIMONY—IS IT A BUNCO GAME THAT THRIVES SAFELY WITHIN THE LAW?

A WOMAN'S broken heart, which is quite often at least PARTIALLY cured by a "settlement," has been the back for many a novel, many a short story, and many an article in the daily papers. She has been disappointed, after "sacrificing everything" for unappreciative John Henry, so John Henry PAYS, and the little wife's troubles are lightened. She will enjoy John's income without being bothered with John.

This is not written against the woman who has baby John Henrys to take care of and raise, for she cannot earn their living and give them the care they are entitled to. It is up to J. H. Sr., to do his bit for the babies he is responsible for, whether or not love exists for their mother.

But the woman who is going to make the man "pay" whether it was her fault or his, or BOTH their fault! Is she the parasitic growth that gradually smother life out of the tree it clings to? Has she pride or backbone? Is the man a "cad" if he gets up in court and tells his side of the story or fights a "substantial settlement?" Many a man is even glad to make his monthly payment to be free of the physical presence of his lawfully wedded but unproductive clinging vine.

Alimony may be a boon to the man who can obtain a deserved freedom only with a cash settlement, but it is not an incentive to make a woman carry her end of the home burden, or try for happiness. No. If things go wrong—there is always a divorce and ALIMONY waiting for her at the corner, and the man will PAY.

So this Gang, is the man's side of the question. He tells a little of his life, his hopes, his disappointments but at the end there is the situation of ALIMONY.

At the end of a short married life, the woman was just as capable of earning her living, taking care of her children by a previous marriage, but why should she? She had found a man who caused her mental cruelty—therefore LET HIM PAY.

Broken Ideals.

Dear Geraldine:

As it seems to be your business to listen to every one's complaint with life, and mostly of the feminine sex, it doesn't seem out of place if I should write of the facts that we men have broken ideals, also, and misfortunes which cause us to read your columns and sympathize. Reading the controversy between women over children prompts me to write you a little of my history, desires and misfortunes.

First, I will begin by saying I re-moved around the U. S. until I reached a good sense of age, with no particular thought of marriage or a permanent home. Then fate brought together, under good circumstances, a young lady and myself who captured my heart almost instantly. She was a beautiful girl, and old enough to be sensible, and had seen many a hard knock in her short but honest life.

This chance meeting was the changing point in my life. I settled down immediately, with thoughts of a wonderful home, never once dreaming of misfortune to my ideals.

I dreamed of my beautiful and loving wife, of one or two lovely children to greet me when I came home from work, for you see I was a well-built and not bad looking man, and I thought the combination would secure years of happiness for us both, in one or two fine, healthy children. We even with but little capital, but were perfectly able to properly care for them.

Finally the wonderful day came—our marriage day. Now, mind



many times, and while she had not encouraged the children idea, she never discouraged me, at least not strongly, and even though she had, I probably would only have seen a rainbow. Well, over my protest, she systematically avoided motherhood, saying, "Wait until we own our own home."

Well, I was always a hard worker, but from that day on I stepped some. I sure worked for that home, and it didn't take long before we had it, with a little help from my parents.

Did it improve matters? It did not.

Opinions Revised.

Well, here some serious changes took place in both our lives. I molded most of my ideas to suit hers, and worked to accumulate wealth that we might seek happiness in the channels she desired. Both our habits were ideal and we worked hard together to save for our late life, which we hoped would be in ease, but at that, there was something lacking. We pulled together for several years, but the farther we went the harder the struggle, and the farther apart we became, owing to the endless fight for more of the world's goods.

One day, suddenly, the reaper, Death, came and took her from me, a sacrifice upon the altar of financial ambition. To me, the best part of my life had been wasted and the one I loved as dearly as life itself, had gone, and we had but partly enjoyed the air castles we had built.

I had always conducted myself as a husband should and had nothing to reproach myself for, excepting hasty retorts and quick temper, that probably would not have resulted if our ideals had been a little nearer alike.

There was no one to help smooth out a tired mind after a hard day's work, for both were

all in physically and mentally every evening.

Well, some two years after the loss of this wonderful girl, and after a series of financial losses, it seemed the sea was calm again and the old dream of a home again entered into my vision. Now this was not a selfish vision, for I could see in this vision some one made happy by me, which is more than half my life. I had grown to think very dearly of a lady who had half-grown children of her own. One whom no one need be ashamed of, and her children were a credit to any one. To make a long story short, we began where each had left off by misfortune. I offered and gave her a home for herself and children that few working women fall heir to. It seemed as though we both tried, and still couldn't understand.

Lawyer Called In.

The old, old story. A word to her children, whom I fancied I had a right to correct, was a dagger in her heart, although I treated them probably far better than 99 out of 100 fathers would. She seemed to take it that I was displeased when in reality I was proud of her and the children. A correction, an answer to me in defense of the child, a retort and she left me after but a few short months of married life. All the pleadings I offered of her misunderstanding, that she was leaving a good home for herself and the children, a future for her, even after I was gone, were of no avail. She was hurt and left.

She was so badly hurt that she determined to make the wreck complete, as revenge is apparently sweet. She didn't wait for the scene to be set before she called upon a shyster lawyer with her outraged feelings, seeking a separation. I presume his first questions were, "How much can your husband pay?"—for of course you have no money."

The result—a suit for divorce

and ALIMONY on the grounds of mental cruelty, for "the complained of my boy parting his hair in the middle."

I had the pleasure of paying two attorneys and court costs and settling the case out of court for a substantial sum.

Why? Well, it would have been a very distasteful thing to come into court and fight with one you still cared for, and listen to testimony offered by children coached by a revengeful mother, and knowing they still cared great deal for you. These children still think very highly of their step-dad, but she is their mother, you know. And again, I didn't wish to see them leave me, with no money, even though they were wrong.

Rainbow Dreams Fail.

Here is where I believe our laws are wrong. The law that makes the husband responsible for every dollar of expense incurred in a divorce suit only encourages one in the height of anger, to revenge. If this woman had had time to sit down and reflect probably she would not have done as she did. But once she had done all the harm she could, in a moment of revenge, she was too proud or stubborn to turn back. It is often said that women are always ready to forgive. I have found them the reverse. I am convinced this woman feels she is wrong, knows she would be forgiven, but once she has acted, that is final, even though it breaks her own heart, wrecks her home, the home of her children, and the one who cares so much for her. I feel this would not have happened had our divorce laws compelled the lapse of a certain time—time to reflect and not put all the burden on the husband.

I have worked hard for 29 years to reach the rainbow, and made a failure, and now it seems the best thing to do is to realize that there must be something wrong with me, or my head



What They Say to Geraldine

Husband and Father Who Dreams of the Rainbow and Mother Groping in Shadows

work, or that fate is against me. Probably it is myself. At any rate it seems time to cut out the rainbows. From my experience I wonder if there are really any happy homes and satisfied women? Doesn't it seem a shame that people can't be more considerate and sensible, instead of so flighty with a thing so serious as life? So few seem willing to cheerfully stand the bitter with the sweet, and it makes you suspicious of all the world.

You may figure I am a nut to rave on as I am, but it seems to me a serious situation to our country, for which I fought, that people, and above all man and wife, have no ability to understand one another. I think this inability to understand and play fair is undermining our divorce laws. All one has to do is go to court and say, "He coughed at me," or "I saw him talking to a woman with powder on her face," and it is mental cruelty. I try to be broadminded, but it seems to me that the women of today are so unsettled in their minds that they can't stay put—a slang phrase. This takes away from many, many men the great thing so many wish and strive for—a home and loved ones. It throws them in to the roving class, just existing from day to day, or into the selfish money-getting class. Surely no one could blame me for figuring that the possibility of securing a happy home for any man is just about a 100 to 1 shot, and I am honest enough to say that a broken heart and lack of confidence will just about take all the good out of any man, and leave it to a woman to make a complete job of it. Most men look into the future and prepare for old age with those they love. Women seem to live for today and throw away life's golden opportunity, the opportunity to make others happy with a little love and an honest effort to understand and assist, instead of so much selfishness.

DISCOURAGED.

(Name and address given.)

I think you're right, and I think you're wrong. Friend, and most of all, I'm sorry for the hurts. But to be absolutely fair, you've got to admit that there are women capable of making just as great sacrifices as men, and women who forgive and FORGET more than man's single-standard mind can conceive.

BUT—there are women who are selfish, women who won't make a sincere effort to make a go of life. JUST BECAUSE IT IS EASIER TO PLAY ON ALLMONY THAN WORK ON AN ALLOWANCE.

It isn't the ease of obtaining a divorce that entices a woman—but the ease of obtaining SOMETHING FOR NOTHING after the divorce.

The spineless woman would not take a divorce, even though she could have it for the mere asking, if there wasn't money at the end of the month.

Am I right, Gang? Does the future want ALLMONY—SOMETHING FOR NOTHING?

Warning Sounded.

Between the husband and father who dreams of the rainbow only to find it gone—and the mother who can almost touch the colors of her dreams, she comes so near to them, only to find them dissipated—is there any difference?

The first letter is from a man who tried TWICE for fulfillment of ambitions. The second is from a woman who became intoxicated with her cup of happiness which brimmed with the birth of her baby—only to find that the husband and father was "lost" when attentions were denied him.

My dear Geraldine:—

Reading the letter in Wednesday's TRIBUNE from Dixie, the wife whose home was disrupted when her "little bundle of joy" was finally given her—brings back my own experience, and I wonder if you couldn't write up a sort of warning to young mothers; also a "lecture" to fathers, as I have found so many cases of this kind.

As a rule the NEW MOTHER finds her tasks with mothering her new wonderful baby very absorbing. There is so much to learn, so much to do, if she has no help of any kind. If she is to start the new little life in a clean, healthful manner, you know it takes most all of her time, and there's a very tired little mother at the end of the day. It seems to me a real

father who is willing to share his responsibility would be patient and willing to step aside for the little while—just a few months—until his wife has become more adjusted and completely regained her health.

You will find that very few husbands willingly and sympathetically go 50-50 in this matter.

Parting of Ways.

Where I had my meals and home as they should be—I'll admit I didn't give the companionship and attention that many husbands expect, and the result was the same as in Dixie's case. I had two wonderful, healthy, beautiful children, but their father would come home, rush over to a neighbor's, have to be called for meals, rush out again after meals, and finally as my tasks lightened, and I was happy in planning to resume our pleasant reading hours and walks, I found I had lost my husband entirely, and after a few years I found that our love hadn't stood up under the real experiences of life, such as parenthood and adversity.

Our ways finally parted, and though I have my home and my two fine children, and an understanding new husband, I haven't risked losing his love through MORE children, and I find I have to really love and divide my attention between THREE children. I've learned that most men are really always "small boys" and want all the fussing over they can get.

Now that my children are older I can do that, but if husbands would only be patient, I'm sure many times a tragedy could be avoided.

I know you could give us a good talk on this, and perhaps it would reach one of those thoughtless "new daddies" and warn the little mothers in time not to drop the "old" baby for the "new" entirely.

EXPERIENCE.

These two contrasting letters are a stronger "lecture" than I could give. In the first one, the wife avoided motherhood; in the second one, she gave it too completely.

Don't they fairly shout for a middle course? Don't they plead for the avoidance of EXTREMES? Don't they cry out the price one pays for INDULGENCE of any kind?

An argument of theories pales beside LIFE.

Problems for Mothers.

I have a letter that I'm going to let you answer, Dixie. I'm not passing it up because I have no ideas on the subject, but because it is a problem for mothers and daughters to settle.

WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE OLDER GENERATION?

Dear Jerry:—

Just to check the old worn-out subject, I'd like to ask, "What is the matter with the older generation?" If we can overlook the fact that that is rude and really judge them as they judge us—it is an important question.

They complain they have no control over their 15-year-old children. I ask "Why, where have THEY fallen down on their job?"

Since my sister and I have been married, we are constantly ridiculed by my own mother, who pretended to love us so desperately she couldn't stand to have us marry, because our husbands haven't given us beautiful homes.

She married a wealthy man, and the unusual part of it is, he was also a good man. This, I believe, is not true of most young men with a lot of money. Our husbands make a good living and we are gradually getting our furniture and saving to buy our homes later, but my mother tells our unmarried sisters to take us for examples and never marry until they can have a home to go to.

I have advanced the argument that if a girl waited until a man could give her a home and a car and furniture he would be about 50 years old. But she says if a man thinks enough of a girl, he won't marry her and put her in a small apartment. One sister has listened to this so long she is now past the age where she can get married. At least all her beaux have ceased to come around.

Can't parents realize their children can't begin with all the things they have accumulated after twenty years or more of married life?

SOMETHING IS SURELY WRONG WITH THE OLDER GENERATION.

EVE.

Come on, you Older Generation.

answer Eve. You've told in words of one or two syllables what you think of the Younger Generation, and no one has been bashful, as far as I could see, about answering you.

It sounds to me like a wonderful argument.

Background of Neglect.

What can I tell a youngster with a background of divorce and neglect, a background where, like Topsy, she "jies" grewed?

There ought to be a little conception of life that would help her, but apparently it hasn't.

Dear Jerry:—

May I come to you for a little advice? I've been confiding in my diary, but then I think I need a little outside help now.

I suppose, to begin with, I'll have to tell you a little about myself. Well, I am 18 years old; people say I am good looking, but looks don't mean anything to me.

Jerry, I'm not trying to have pity on myself or have anyone else pity me, but then, when a girl has had to live without knowing a mother's care or love she has missed something. Don't you think so? My parents were divorced when I was 3 years old. I was given to my father by the court. Oh, Jerry, what does a father know about a girl? Nothing. I have no love for my mother. In fact the word "mother" doesn't mean anything to me, but then I was only 3 when it happened, and if they had let me go with her, I might be a better and different girl today. Good or bad, your mother is your mother.

After thirteen years my mother finally wrote to me. She knew where I was all the time. I had had several sicknesses, and in one case nearly died. It would have been better if I did, but she never wrote, but when I was 16—old enough to work—she started to write me. We corresponded frequently until at last she asked me to go to see her.

My father said I could go, so she sent the fare and I went, mainly for the sake of traveling. The trip was two days and two nights. She met me at the station, introduced me to her husband and friends and was real proud of me, but then I knew her past, and knew of the wrong she had done me, and I just couldn't help but think of it every time I saw her.

Well, I was there about a month and noticed she was jealous of me. I don't know if she thought I'd take her husband or not, but then she was as mean and spiteful as could be. And then came the day when it all came out. She and I went to a ranch to visit her sister-in-law and we were having dinner. They served some sweet wine, and not being used to wine, it went to my head. At first it just made me dizzy, and then I got hysterics and started to laugh and then cry. Finally they put me to bed.

I just couldn't have my mother near me, so then I let everything I thought come out, and I told her what I thought of her, and everything. I just couldn't bear to stay there any longer and I asked her husband for fare to come home. He gave it to me, although he hated to see me leave. He always took my part as he knew of everything.

Clashes With Father.

I came home to my father and I can't say he was well pleased, for when I was away, he didn't have to worry about feeding and clothing me and he could come and go as he pleased, but when I was here, it had to be altogether different. So he started to get mean. This is the trouble. He wants to get married, but won't until I am married first. So he does everything to make me disgusted. He wants me to get married, but he won't let me go with boys.

Well, I met a boy a month ago and we liked each other and started going together. One night I brought him home and introduced him to my father. He seemed to like him all right, but when this boy and I wanted to go riding my father said I couldn't go, but I went anyway.

The next morning the first thing he asked me was, "Are you going to marry him?" I said, "Gosh, I've only known him a month and we're too young anyway. He's only 19."

Jerry, what I really want to ask you is this: Does a boy love you if he will break a date with you and go out with boys? I really love him and forgive him for everything he does. I've lost my self-control and proved to him that I love him. Please, don't tell me that I'm too young to know of love and this is puppy love. It isn't, Jerry, be-

One Way to Deadend Our Sensibilities Is to Center the Outlook Against Blank Wall

cause I've had cases of puppy love already. I've been trying to make up my mind whether to give him the rate or forgive him for disappointing me. I'll let you decide for me. I hope I've explained so you will understand, but I sure do care for him, Jerry. If we break up, for I don't intend to keep him if he doesn't want to stay, I'm going to marry the first guy my father tells me to.

I will have to ring off for this time, Jerry dear, as it is getting late and I have to get up early in the morning and look for work. I will write you again soon, and tell you some of my experiences.

Wishing you success, and may you keep up your good work. I'll bet there are many, many benefited by your good advice.

JUST A GIRL THAT MEN FORGET.

All of which is quite dramatic—"Just a girl that men forget." Doesn't it roll off your tongue in a theatrical way? And yet underneath it all is a girl who doesn't KNOW ANY BETTER. WHO IS ABSOLUTELY LACKING IN WORTH WHILE DREAMS AND AMBITIONS.

There is nothing as deadly to the finer sensibilities as an outlook at a blank wall, and that is what this little 18-year-old girl is facing.

A grand start at happiness would be a talk with the Dad who has suddenly turned "mean." Why should he be deprived of his natural home life because he has an 18-year-old daughter? If she has the spirit of a kid who "makes good" she'd tell her father to get married, to bring his wife and a new "mother" for her into the home and that she'll love her and help.

She claims to miss a mother's love—then why not try to win one?

Girl, you're a weakling and you'll slide down to a sloppy, weak old age if you don't brace up and BE SOMEBODY. You'll never make life's grade unless you begin hitting on all your cylinders.

I can see you dishing up half warmed-over dinners to your Dad, not caring a hoot whether the table looks nice or not. I can see you going around the house in an untidy manner. You've got a nice "resigned" mind—"Just a girl that men forget." Push!

I don't know anything about the boy—whether he loves you or not. I imagine NOT. It's up to you to MAKE SOMETHING OF YOURSELF. You've made a mis-step. All right. You don't have to go on making "em. You can put it behind you. You don't have to ask the 19-year-old infant who tempted you "if he can possibly care as much NOW as he did." He probably doesn't, but there is no need of his breaking your spirit. Make a start by putting your heart-house in order, as well as the home your father has made for you since you were 3. When you're all ship-shape, you'll find your mind straightening out, and maybe you'll be a REAL woman after all.

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A CAMP JUDGE

One of the mining camp justices of the peace of early-day California was R. C. Barry, who occupied the bench at Sonora. On one occasion, in a summons issued against two men charged with illegal entry, he accused them of a "nuisance," and stated that the plaintiff "claimed a writ to dispossess them and to have restitution according to law, with appropriate damages for the impression now about to be carried out against him by such high-handed and mercenary arrogance on the part of the said accused." On another occasion, in the case of a man accused of the theft of money from an aged Mexican woman and her daughter, Barry's decision, given in writing, stated that "the case, being so at variance with the common dictates of humanity, and having been done under a very painful circumstance when the young woman was about to close her existence the day before she died, and her aged mother at the same time lying on her bed of sickness unable to rise and get a morsel of food for herself, and at the time presenting himself as an angel of relief to the poor and destitute sick, when twenty poor dollars might have relieved the immediate necessity of the poor, enticed, sick, and destitute old woman, far from home and friends—calls imperatively for a severe rebuke and reprimand for such inhuman and almost unprecedented conduct, as also the necessity of binding him over to the court of sessions in the sum of five hundred dollars."



Saving Oakland's Sequoias



Eastbay Residents to Have Grounds at Their Disposal for Camps and Picnics

By Louis Allen

MUCH of the charm of the Sequoia groves of the Sierra will be available to Oaklanders for recreation, picnicking or summer camp sites, now that the city council has decided to purchase 180 acres of the Havens redwood grove on the slopes of Redwood Peak. But instead of the journey of hundreds of miles to the Sierra groves, Oakland residents will be able to hike or motor the three miles to the park from the end of the Park Boulevard street car line. When court proceedings have established the price to be paid for the acreage, Oakland will become the only city in the world boasting a park of redwoods within its city limits.

The only other redwood grove that may be said to be near a large city is Muir Woods, ten miles north of San Francisco in Marin county, and separated from the city by the Golden Gate and a stretch of hilly country. Oakland's redwood park will be less than four miles in an air line from the city hall. Not only will the park be easy of access for the hiker, but the present Skyline boulevard extension carries the autoist into the midst of the park on the side of Redwood Peak. With the acquisition of other acreages between the redwoods and the Montclair district another road is projected to run from the city's center to the top of Redwood Peak, passing through Diamond Canyon, to Palo Seco Canyon, passing the north side of Joaquin Miller park and thence to the summit of Redwood Peak.

On January 14, 1924, the city council approved the recommendation of the board of park directors to purchase the 180-acre tract on the three-payment plan. City Attorney Leon Gray was ordered to start condemnation proceedings and to secure appraisal of the property's valuation through court action. One third of the valuation placed on the grove will be paid to the Havens estate in July, the city taking out a lease on the remaining two-thirds of the property. Next year a second payment will be made and the remaining third of the property released. In the third year final payment will be made.

From a ferryboat approaching the Oakland side the proposed Sequoia park is most readily located. Directly back of Oakland the most prominent hill in the ridge is Round Top. To the north (left) of Round Top and directly back of the Campanile of the University of California is Grizzly Peak. To the south (right) of Round Top is a prominence which is easily recognized as Redwood Peak. The straight, lofty conifers stand out along the ridge of Redwood Peak like a pompadour. The grove to be acquired by Oakland is located

woods on the side of Redwood Peak measuring from 15 to 20 feet through near the ground, there are at present no old trees standing. Most of the redwoods range from seventy to eighty years old and have grown since the early days when the sides of Redwood Peak were stripped of redwood trees for the building of the San Francisco that developed soon after the discovery of gold at Sutter's Mill. Thus, even in that early day the Argonauts recognized the value of redwood as building material.

Vivid recollections of hikes back to Redwood Peak are the heritage of the generation of Oakland people who spent their youth here in the seventies and eighties. Diamond canyon and Palo Seco canyon were ever magnets to the young outdoor enthusiasts of that day, although it must be admitted that hiking as it is known today was then unpracticed except by a few hardy folk who were considered as more or less queer by their neighbors.

Joaquin Miller was one of the first to recognize the attraction of Redwood Peak, buying the property now known as Joaquin Miller park, which was then a bare hillside south of Redwood Peak. But he set out the trees that have since made his estate one of the most talked about and widest known acreages of the west.

Oakland's Redwood park will be something more than a mere area

Authorities of City Plan to Establish Facilities for the Public Convenience

to be viewed by tourists and others. The park directors plan development of the park along the lines similar to Big Basin. An inn will be built embowered by redwoods, with facilities for dining for large numbers of visitors and probably many small cabins will be constructed for the use of campers who wish to stay overnight or for extended periods. Undoubtedly many campsites will be provided for the hundreds of Oakland people who will spend their vacations inexpensively in this unique mountain retreat within sight of their homes, yet to all purposes as far removed from home as though transported to Big Basin or Calaveras grove.

It is planned also to establish a bus line running regular from the end of the Park Boulevard car line to the park. Extension of the Park Boulevard electric line to the park also is a possibility.

of the rich diggings ever since known by the name of Port Wine.

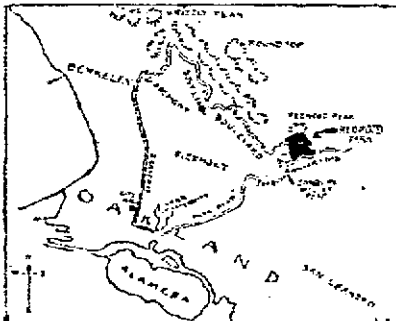
Not many miles from Port Wine, two hunters found the great quartz mine at Pilot Peak. One of them fired at a bird and struck instead a quartz outcrop. His companion picked up the piece of rock thus dislodged and found it to be two-thirds gold.

The one great discovery made in this particular section that could not be attributed to chance was by an old sailor, a former ship's carpenter, known as Chips, and the find proved ultimately the greatest of misfortunes for him, as similar finds have so often proved in the case of other discoverers of great mines.

In an outcropping of blue gravel on Minnesota Flat, just above the forks of Kanaka Creek, Chips laid the foundation to his financial fortunes. This original claim of his he sold for a good price, and then moved over to the opposite side of the ridge, to a locality which became known as Chips' Flat. He lived alone in a dirty cabin, and was seldom sober. But his mind was not entirely submerged by liquor, and he must have somewhere acquired a wider knowledge of mining than his fellows, who depended on chance for their discoveries, for he conceived the idea of driving a tunnel from his side of the ridge toward Minnesota Flat, and putting it into execution, encountered richer ground than before. He thus opened up an extraordinary ancient river-bed deposit, running through a large portion of the auriferous region of that part of California, called the Blue Lead.

When Chips' partners discovered that there was no more money to be made out of his brains, they cast about for a means to separate him from the shares he had retained. They approached him when he was very drunk and offered to buy for a small sum. When he refused, they raised the bid, but he was sagacious enough to know that what they offered was far below the worth of the shares, and he still refused.

It was really poison, disguised under the name of whisky, but to Chips whisky was whisky, good or bad. He sat down by that barrel, and stayed there as long as he was able to sit. When he fell on the floor he had delirium tremens, and when death came to him, it was in an imaginary jungle, peopled chiefly by gaudy monkeys and iridescent snakes. And Chips' partners, according to the custom of the place, divided his possessions among themselves.



In the upper left appears a glimpse of the Skyline boulevard extension through the Redwood grove that will become a part of the Oakland public park system. Other views of the grove are shown elsewhere on the page, all from photographs by Ford E. Samuel. The map shows the extent of the grove and its location relative to the city.

CHIPS, WIZARD OF THE BLUE LEAD.

Most mining discoveries have been the result of accident, and the enormously rich finds made in Sierra county California, were no exception to the rule. At Port Wine, for instance, a party of prospectors, traveling one hot day, found a keg of port which had been hidden in the bushes by packers. They broached it and drank copiously, developing thereby an intense thirst. Searching for a spring at which to relieve this thirst, they discovered near by rich gravel, and panning this gravel, they found the gold which led to the establishment



A Megalosaurus on Ice



A Tale Narrated by Jack London About Unusual Experience With Reptile at Sea

By Walter Scott Haskell.

WHILE the writer of "The Sea Wolf" introduced many of his personal experiences into his yarns, the greater part was from his vivid imagination. He said he could seldom write of his own experiences, as they lacked the proper perspective for dramatic expression. For this reason, the man who loved the sea as a fish loves water was a veritable mine of story material that had never seen the light of day. Perhaps this one is the most odd and freakish of all, at least it seemed so to me, as he spun it while we sat on the Howard street wharf in San Francisco and watched the shipping in the bay.

A ship had just come in and tied up at the wharf. It was a square-rigged windjammer from Australia named "THE SEA HORSE," and loaded with coal. Almost on her heels came another big freighter that tied up on the opposite side. We read the name on the stern: "THE SEA COW."

"That's a coincidence," cried Jack, "and reminds me—"

Then he spun this: "Ever hear of Abner Weed? He was of a peculiar sort, always trying to do the big thing, but somehow never succeeding. Yet he had made money, and often squandered it on schemes that the ordinary man would shun."

Abner came to me one day and in a kind of jolting spirit asked if I ever intended to do anything in this world that would amount to shucks, and he remembered when I am gone.

"Well," I replied, "that depends. If it's in me to do something that posterity will be pleased to interpret as worth while, why, I suppose I'll do it sooner or later; but if it's not in me, how in the name of the Six Companies can I do it?"

"It's in you, it's in every man. The trouble is we don't find ourselves. See here: I've got a gigantic scheme for raising the devil with posterity, and making them look back on their progenitors with reverence and awe. You could never guess what it is."

"No, tell us, Abner."

"I'm going to resuscitate a frozen dinosaur and make him live. A creature that lived hundreds of thousands of years ago will soon be walking around in this twentieth century period. I'll unite the past with the present. Catch on?"

"No, I don't see just what you're driving at, Ab. To resuscitate a frozen animal is going beyond the possible, isn't it?"

"Not by a jug full. Why, man alive, you've done it yourself. Didn't you ever chop ants out of frozen wood, take them in to the fire and have them squirming and kicking in two minutes? Didn't you?"

"Sure, Abner," I admitted. "I have done that very thing, and I'd forgotten it. Ants are frozen stiff every winter in cold countries and thaw out in the spring, and resume

The late Jack London, California author, who related the accompanying Londonesque yarn while sitting on the Howard street wharf.

their activities as usual, es, that's so."

"You've also read about the experiments with frogs, freezing them, and bringing them to life later? I've heard about the proposed attempt to resuscitate that south polar explorer Lieutenant Scott who was frozen while on one of his exploring trips? They never did it, but the scientist talked about the possibility. They all know it's possible if we go at it right."

"Have you got a dinosaur to experiment on?"

"I have. I procured one that was found in a glacier in northern Alaska. It's not very large, probably a young megalosaurus of about six or eight feet in length. Looks like a crocodile through the ice. I've got him in cold storage awaiting the time I can get any of you fellows to help me in the matter of restoring him to life. It's no fool of a job, you understand, and must be handled scientifically, or it will fail."

"You want me to help you bring back the life of this prehistoric lizard, and share with you the glory?"

Abner nodded. "You're a fool, Abner, to monkey with a megalosaurus in that way—it can't be done. Ants can be restored, but they're different."

Abner looked at me in a pitying way, as though he was real sorry for my lack of brains. He bubbled: "I thought you had sense, Jack. Didn't a lot of jackasses say that wireless telegraphy couldn't be done? Some said nobody could sail a ship across the ocean. Another fool declared the human voice couldn't be produced in a phonograph. Lots of jays said man could never fly in the air. You make me sick, you doubters."

"Well, Ab, old boy, I'll go the limit if you'll show me how to restore this ancient beast. What's your plan?"

The great experimenter smiled. He bubbled: "My idea is to load the animal into a vessel and ship it to warmer latitudes, its native habitat. It used to be warm in Alaska. This creature is accustomed to warm weather. If brought to life in this climate the thing would die. We must go to a tropical island in the South Pacific to operate. If we succeed, and we will, it will put our names in the papers, all right, all right! Will you go?"

"I've long been wanting to take a trip to the South Sea Islands. Sure, I'll go, for the trip if nothing more. When do we start?"

On the 17th of Ireland (March in English) we set sail in the good steamer Marigould, and went out of San Francisco bay toward the setting sun.

Gottlieb Krauser, the German man-of-all-work, managed the engine, while Abner acted as helmsman, captain and lookout. I was supposed to experiment in the culinary line, having made a couple of batches of biscuits on two occasions, and fried an onion.

All went well the first day, and

Abner was singing blithely. Then the sky thickened and it became evident that a storm was brewing.

"Make everything snug," says Abner. Jack, better cook up some things so we won't starve if the ship gets to rolling so you can't make a fire."

"What'll I cook, beans?"

"Beans is as good as anything," Abner was saying when the storm struck.

For five days and nights we were at the mercy of as fierce a storm as ever raged on the Pacific. There wasn't a moment when we were not in danger of going to the bottom. It is said that idiots and drunken men are protected by providence, and it would seem so in our case. With little knowledge of seamanship, and short-handed at best, we somehow did the right thing at the right time, and weathered the blast.

At last the storm cleared and the sun came out. The water was yet

Creature Climbs Out of Hold and Starts Wild Time on Deck of Sailing Vessel

with ropes," said the resourceful Abner.

For more than two hours the reptile meandered the deck, going from cabin to fo'castle, and chewing on any old thing that came in his way. His jaws seemed to be made of iron, for he set them on a hickory ax-handle that lay by a chopping-block, and snapped the tough wood as easy as one would snap a clay pipe-stem. The exhibition of strength of jaw made us all the more careful to keep out of the creature's way. He appeared unable to climb, and to that fact our lives were dependent.

"Why don't you shoot the cuss?"

I at length blurted.

"Left my gun in the cabin," confessed Abner. You take your gun and give him a shot—it's too bad to kill him, though, after we've taken so much trouble to bring him to life."

"I left my gun in my berth," I confessed. "Maybe Gottlieb has got a shooting-iron. Have you, Gottlieb?" I asked.

"Well, I got a gun, but no ammunition—I forgot to load it," admitted he.

The ship was wallowing in the trough of the sea. I heard the water surging and was sure she was leaking and needed pumping.

"This is a hell of a mess you've got me into!" I twitted with disregard for Abner's feelings, for I was hungry, and there seemed no immediate prospect of getting anything to eat, while that ravenous beast perambulated the deck and snapped his jaws at anything and everything.

Abner said rather shame-facedly: "I think it'll work out all right, but you know there are always drawbacks in the first stages of applied science. Now if I were to create—"

Just then something dropped on the deck with a thud. It was Gottlieb, who had lost his footing on the shrouds. The big lizard got his little eyes on the Dutchman's anatomy about as soon as the latter alighted, and there was a quick rush across the planks, a clawing of toe-nails, then a snap of those ante-deluvian jaws that sounded like the closing of a bear-trap.

"Look out, Gottlieb!" shouted Abner.

The Dutchman made a brave effort to save his life, and succeeded by a narrow margin. The jaws of the reptile closed on his boot heels and ripped the leather from the foot in the twinkling of an eye. Gottlieb managed to get into the rigging minus a boot. Panting with exertion and unwonted excitement he puffed: "Dot vosh a close shave, eh?"

I determined that something should be done, and figured out a plan. A rope hung on a hook at the back of the companionway. I decided to take chances of securing it, so dropped lightly to the deck, made a sprint, and was successful. Regaining my position on the ratlines I made a noose in the rope and flung it out in the manner of a cowboy roping a steer. Again I was in luck. The noose slipped over the nose of the creature, whose jaws happened to be closed, I pulled taut and had him roped by the jaws. He began to flounder about, and I found it necessary to get a half-hitch on the mast in order to hold him. This I did and was able to draw the ugly head up so that it lifted the front feet off the deck and held him suspended, with his weight resting on his hind feet.

"I knew we'd catch him after awhile," remarked the placid voice of Abner as he began to descend to the deck.

"Well," I snorted. "We, us, and company are great people."

Abner had the modesty to blush, and then, as though to re-establish his reputation for bravery, went up to the roped animal and gave

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The Cave Dwellers of Mokelumne Hill

by Harry C. Peterson



Some early day residents of Mokelumne Hill lived in a home carved in the soft rock, and two glimpses are afforded here of the habitation as it remains today. The upper right hand view is of the interior, showing fireplace and oven, and the lower left is of the entrance to the subterranean chambers. In the lower right is seen the home of the lonesome bachelor—the home that failed to meet the requirements of Mary's exacting mother, with the result that the bachelor committed suicide by hanging himself.

tourists will be visiting the Mother Lode.

The old terraces bring up visions of the time when hundreds of houses lined that hillside; of the little children that played under those old apple trees; of the anxious mothers as they heard the shooting in the gambling halls below, ever fearful that father or son might have been passing in time to intercept a stray bullet.

Across the gulch are the great stone retaining walls thrown up in the early days to hold the gravel that had been run through the sluices. A little further down is the twin tunnel of the old Gleason mine. It was frosty the morning I went down and from out the upper tunnel was coming a cloud of steam. I walked over and found a strong current of warm air coming up laden with moisture that condensed the moment it hit the cold air. A little further down the gulch on the same side is the immense gorge in the hill from which over \$2,000,000 in gold was taken.

But there is one home up under those terraces made in those old days that will always remain, that will always create interest in the passerby; that will arouse speculation for generations to come as to just who built it, who lived there and why. It is probably the most remarkable place of its kind in the state, and probably the only existing evidence of "cave dwellers" on the whole Mother Lode, if not in California.

But the mine's old weeds and scrub brush is not easily seen unless one's attention is called to it. It lies a few hundred yards down the gulch from the ruins of the old stage office, on your right, ascending the hill.

It is very doubtful if more than mere fragments of its real history will ever be known. I have it from three different sources and give it for what it is worth.

Somewhere about 1850 two young men came up into the mines with a great deal of confidence, but little cash. They were hard workers, but not overly lucky. They made just enough to tempt them to hold on with the expectation of striking it rich. They liked the gulch, right close by was Mokelumne Hill, a place made up of the most cosmopolitan crowd in the southern mines, a crowd that included the American, very much in the minority; the Chilenos and French, the Australian and the Senorito made up the balance. With this mixture trouble ever associated, so that there was always plenty of excitement.

Being young fellows, they enjoyed excitement as long as it did not harm them. But as murder began to get so common that for seventeen weeks running a man was murdered every Saturday night in town, and for good measure five were killed the seventeenth week, the boys began to get nervous.

When bullets began to fly through the cracks of the saloons and gambling halls and picked the ribs of a passer by to land in, the better educated concluded to protect itself. A Mexican was caught stealing and sentenced to be hung. When they took him out to string him up to one of nature's lovely oaks he began to grin, then to laugh. This aroused the curiosity of the ringleader of justice and he asked:

"skunk?"

"Why you hang me, Senor?"

"Why? Because you were caught stealing from an American?"

"Si, si, senor, but I must laugh!" And again he laughed the chuckle of the native Mexican.

"Here you damned Greaser, quit that laughing, don't you know we are going to swing you into hell in a minute?"

"Si, si, senor; I ees go to hell, but I ees go for stealing. It mak me laugh!"

The unaccountability of the situation got on the nerves of the crowd. A man with a noose around his neck chuckling to himself was not according to Hoyle; especially a Mexican. He should have been abjectly pleading for his life.

The leader again conjured him, with a string of oaths, to tell the reason of his mirth. Shrugging his shoulders and turning up his finger tips as far as the ropes around his arms would allow, he returned his eyes upward and said: "I am hang, senor, for stealing gold. It mak me laugh, senor; it mak me laugh; to be hang for only stealing when las month I keel eight American miner. Si, si, I must laugh!" And he did.

Investigation revealed the truth of his confession. He had during the past month, on his way up from Angeles' Camp, murdered eight Americans in cold blood for their gold dust.

He had already been condemned to hang for stealing and he could die but once; so they strung him up, but they strung him up slowly. It was the most they could do in memory of their murdered comrades.

After the Mexican left the ground he ceased laughing, but the question still remains a mystery: was he hanged for stealing or murder?

About this time another incident occurred that caused the two boys to do considerable hard thinking. Two strangers came into Mokelumne Hill; they were hungry; they went into a restaurant and sat down and began eating. As they ate they talked and a half drunken gambler sitting near thought he heard them mention his name. He did not wait to ask questions, merely pulled his gun, went over to the table and fired at the man.

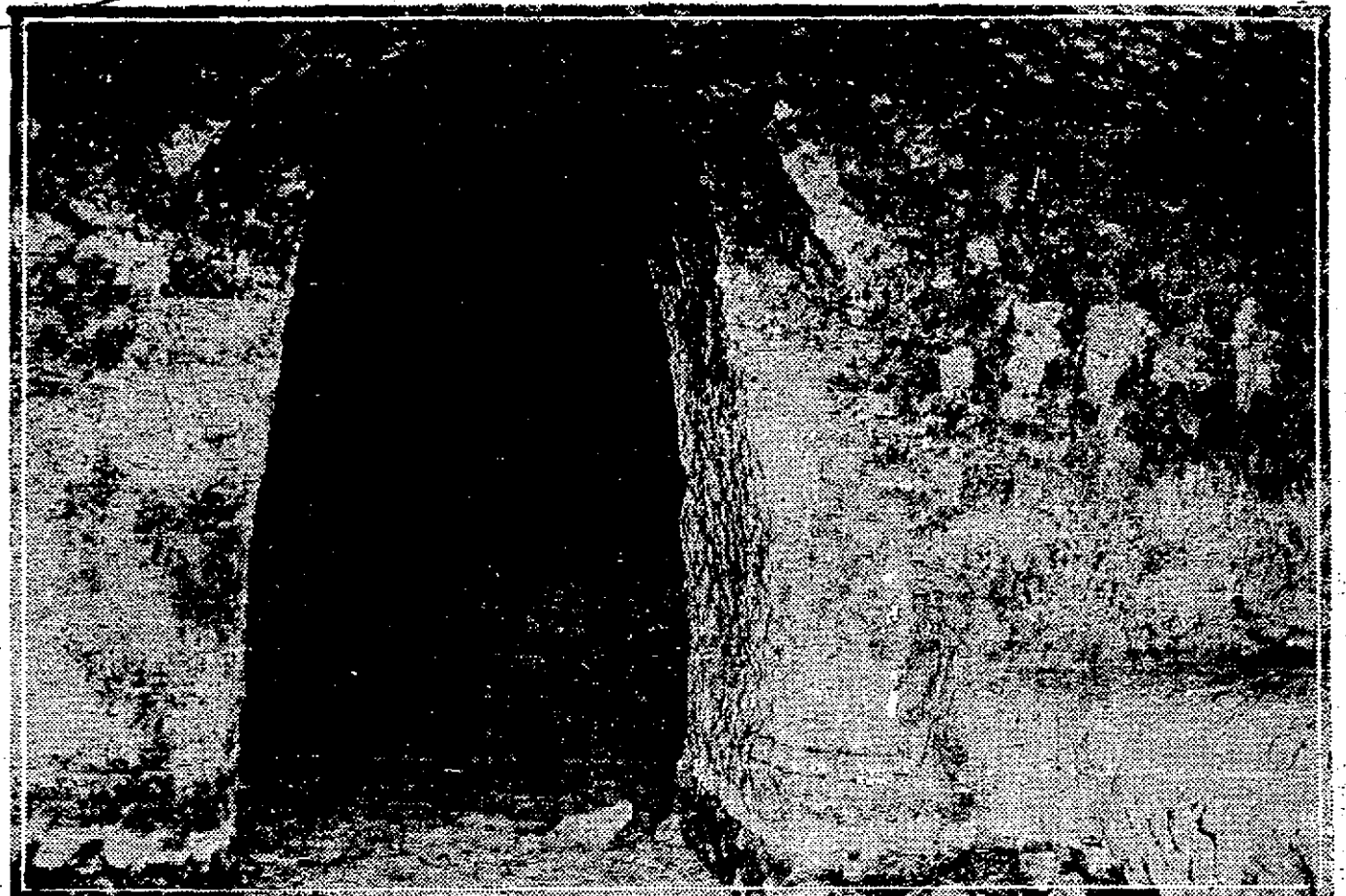
A young fellow took the bullet in the gun against a stranger's ear and put a bullet in his brain. The gambler claimed the dead man had assailed his character. But it was proven that the two men did not know a soul in town, were talking about a mine and had mentioned no one's name. The gambler was very sorry; they buried the dead stranger, and his partner immediately left Mokelumne Hill for other places where life was a trifle more safe. Just a year later he had to pass through Mokelumne Hill on the way from Jackson to Angeles Camp. He did not stop, but tried to pass through unnoticed. A half-drunken miner recognized him, however, and pulling his gun began to blaze away at the unoffending stranger.

But the miner's aim was poor; he missed every shot. In the meantime the stranger had put spurs to his horse and was half way down Chili gulch before the miner got through explaining to the crowd that he didn't remember why that man should have been shot, but he somehow felt that he needed shooting, so he shot.

The stranger never returned to Mokelumne Hill, but the story passed from lip to lip. It was stories of this nature that set the two young men to thinking. They wanted to put up a good lumber cabin, but they found that lumber was prohibitive in price. There was no adobe from which to make an adobe house. Rocks for the purpose were not handy.

The hillside was of volcanic tuff. They had discovered that after digging in a foot or two it was comparatively easy to cut it with a hatchet if done immediately before the air had had an opportunity to solidify the rock, which it quickly did. So the boys conceived the idea of digging a fire and bullet proof home out of the solid rock. They put in all their spare time and in a few weeks had a truly marvelous two room home, with fireplace in the extreme end, and a stone stove and Dutch oven in the other. The bed was about three-quarter size and cut out of the solid rock. In the inner room was another "wall bed" or bench. An arched doorway leads from one room to the other. The front door is cut square in the outside, but is arched on the inner side. The boys put up a heavy wooden door, made a little square table to eat from and to play poker on. Four stools, a few tin, a bean pot and coffee pot completed the equipment.

Here they lived, cool in summer, warm in winter, safe from fleas, bedbugs and bullets. When they locked the door and went to work in the morning they found that



find their home waiting for them when they got back. Neither a town fire, a cloudburst or a wind-storm worried them. They were the most securely housed of any pair of "pardners" in the diggings.

Both were sworn bachelors, both well educated. Neither ever made any great strike as far as known.

That they lived there for some years is pretty well established. When became of them, where they went, how much they finally accumulated, and whether they went east or were murdered, is still an unsolved mystery.

But their work remains as a monument to man's ingenuity in case of necessity, a monument to that indomitable spirit of "Forty-nine" that made old Mother Earth give up, not only a living, but a dwelling place as well.

Further up the hill, shortly before coming into Mokelumne Hill, there stands a little one-story cottage that dates back to the early mining days.

A young fellow out from the east got that lonesome feeling. He wanted to get married, but he had not had the foresight to provide himself with a sweetheart before he left home, so he was handicapped in Chili Gulch by having as competitors some two thousand other men for the fair hands of the few young ladies then residing in that neighborhood.

Single damsels were no drug on the market in those days. Gallant swains swarmed on every hand at all hours. My lady fair had to look beson and a score answered.

It was a hard proposition for a young fellow to buck up against. But he felt that he had a chance with Mary. Mary was a nice little girl, but rapidly getting spoiled by the adulation of the men. Her mother had a very positive character. We have mothers of that same positive character in the movie world today. Mary's mother supervised Mary's love affairs.

Most positively did Mary's mother state that no man could marry her girl who did not have a decent home in which to keep her. So this lonesome bachelor gathered together all his loose nug-

gets and hid himself to a lumber mill. With a mule team he hauled to a pretty little knoll on the side hill two loads of lumber. Some of the boys helped him build. It was a very pretty little house, some ten by twelve feet in size, with a pretty porch all around it.

He made a table, bought two chairs, some bright new tinware and iron knives and forks. He ordered a sofa from Sacramento and a bright red and white checkered table cloth from Jackson.

A bedstead was made from the best lumber, wet rawhide thongs were stretched across underneath. When these had dried he found that the bed had been drawn in a little in the centers, but it did not worry him. Across it all he nailed a few heavy flour sacks, made a good mattress from four other sacks, filled it with the softest grass he could find, bought two new blankets, stocked up the kitchen with plenty of food, washed the dishes, swept the floor, put up the curtains, and went over to see Mary and her mother.

Mary had already signified her willingness to marry him if he would provide a proper home. He was sure of having fulfilled this part of the bargain, so with great confidence he tackled the problem of getting Mary and her mother up in front of the minister.

It was Sunday, a day when everyone should be at peace with all the world. Mary's ma was not that day, nor as far as known, any other day. She consented to go over with her daughter and inspect the new home. From the outside it looked very attractive, quite artistic, and prettily situated. The front room looked very cozy. The kitchen was decidedly small, but well arranged.

Most blushing did Mary ask: "John, please show me the bedroom." "With great pleasure, Mary. It's right here," and he threw open a little door, the same one I threw open when I looked into that bedroom two generations later.

It was about eight feet square, possibly much less; just room for a bed, a stool, and a dressing shelf.

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Chili Gulch Lies on Road to Mokelumne Hill, But Travelers Rarely Notice Place

HERE'S betting five to one that ninety-eight out of every hundred persons who have motored up Chili gulch into Mokelumne Hill have never even noticed it along the hillside, and here's betting two to one that not half the people in the immediate district have even been near it; but betting two to one that half the local inhabitants of any district have ever visited their local landmarks or interesting historical spots would be a sure-thing gamble; it would be taking an unfair advantage of any American community.

I was guilty of passing it by unnoticed the first time I went that way, though I had once prided myself on being a human bloodhound when it came to nosing out long forgotten historic spots.

But I console myself with the thought that I had hiked all the way from Angel Camp that day, zig-zagging back and forth, along the road, going up this gulch, up that canyon, or down this creek, looking for abandoned cabins or

old mines, sometimes finding them; more times not; for they were not as plentiful as one could wish in that particular stretch along the Mother Lode road.

As a consequence of these little side excursions I passed through Chili gulch about midnight of a moonless night, tired, thirsty and mighty hungry. The fact that I was passing right by one of the most unusual places on the whole Mother Lode was unknown to me. In fact, my mind was on other things.

There is nothing that will take one's mind quicker from the rumination of ancient history to the needs of the present, than an empty stomach.

That night I stopped at the old Leger hotel in a room that reminded you of some of those wonderful old bedrooms in the Hopkins Institute of Art before the fire, with their high ceilings; wide, heavy doors and spacious rooms.

I was up at daylight; they serve breakfast at daylight, and not much later; but it was the kind

that was worth getting up early for. I wanted to see Chili gulch. They told me I had passed through it on my way in.

A most agreeable young man offered to guide me to the spot; a young man who took pride in his local history. I wish there were more like him.

I was greatly interested in Chili gulch. A member of my family had lived there as a little girl in 1851-2. She had told me of the beautiful terraced hills, of the pretty homes, of the many stone stores, of the dozens of mines in operation, there, of the fine orchards that were set out in 1850-1851; of the 3000 people that lived there.

She told me of the dance halls there and in Mokelumne Hill; of

how she had seen not one, but a dozen or more murdered men carried up the hillside to be buried; of how the better element had at last taken a hand and cleaned up the place for while. She told me of the large two story stone store there with its bakery and general assortment of merchandise, its stage office and hotel and of how the place swarmed with miners in those days.

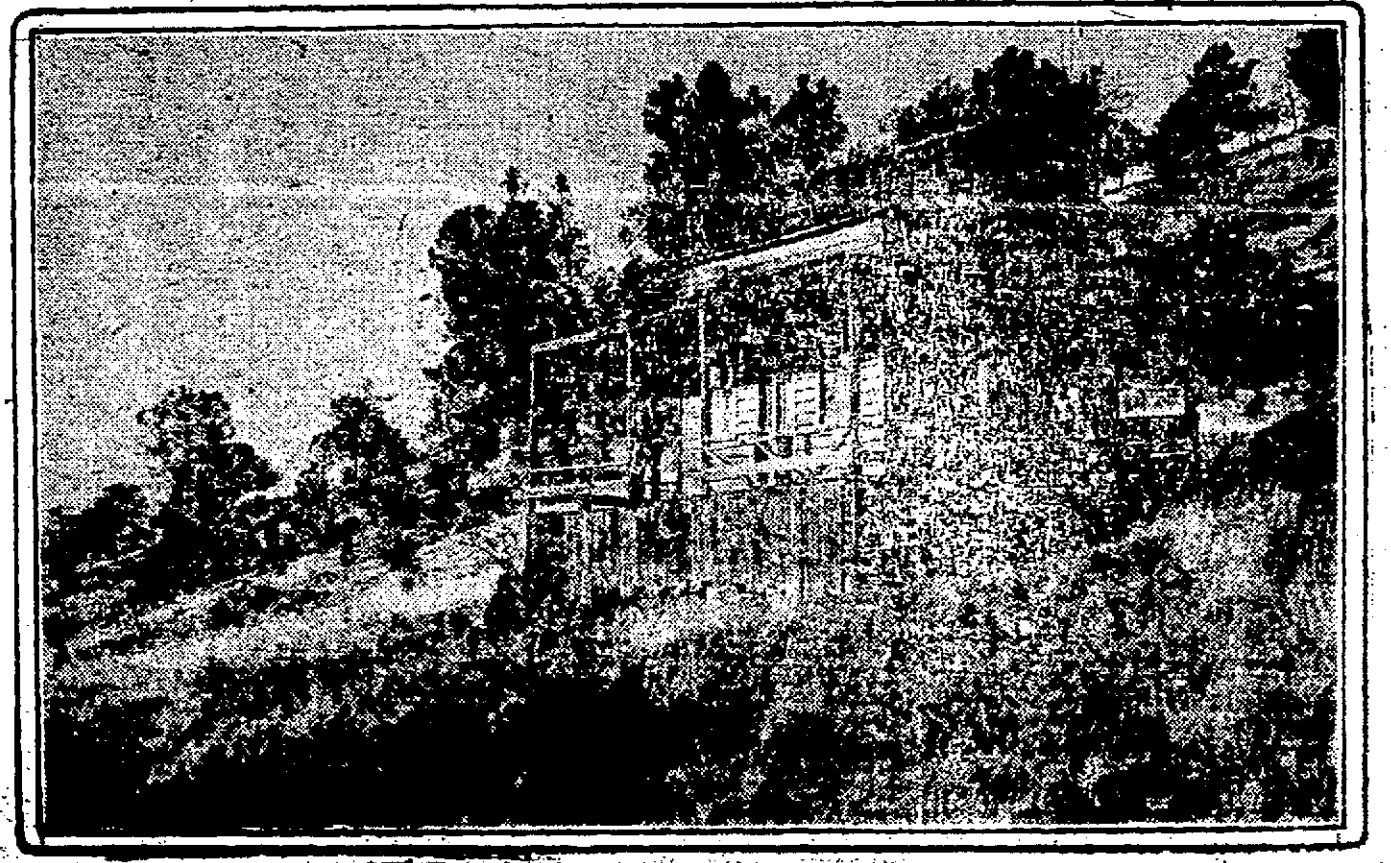
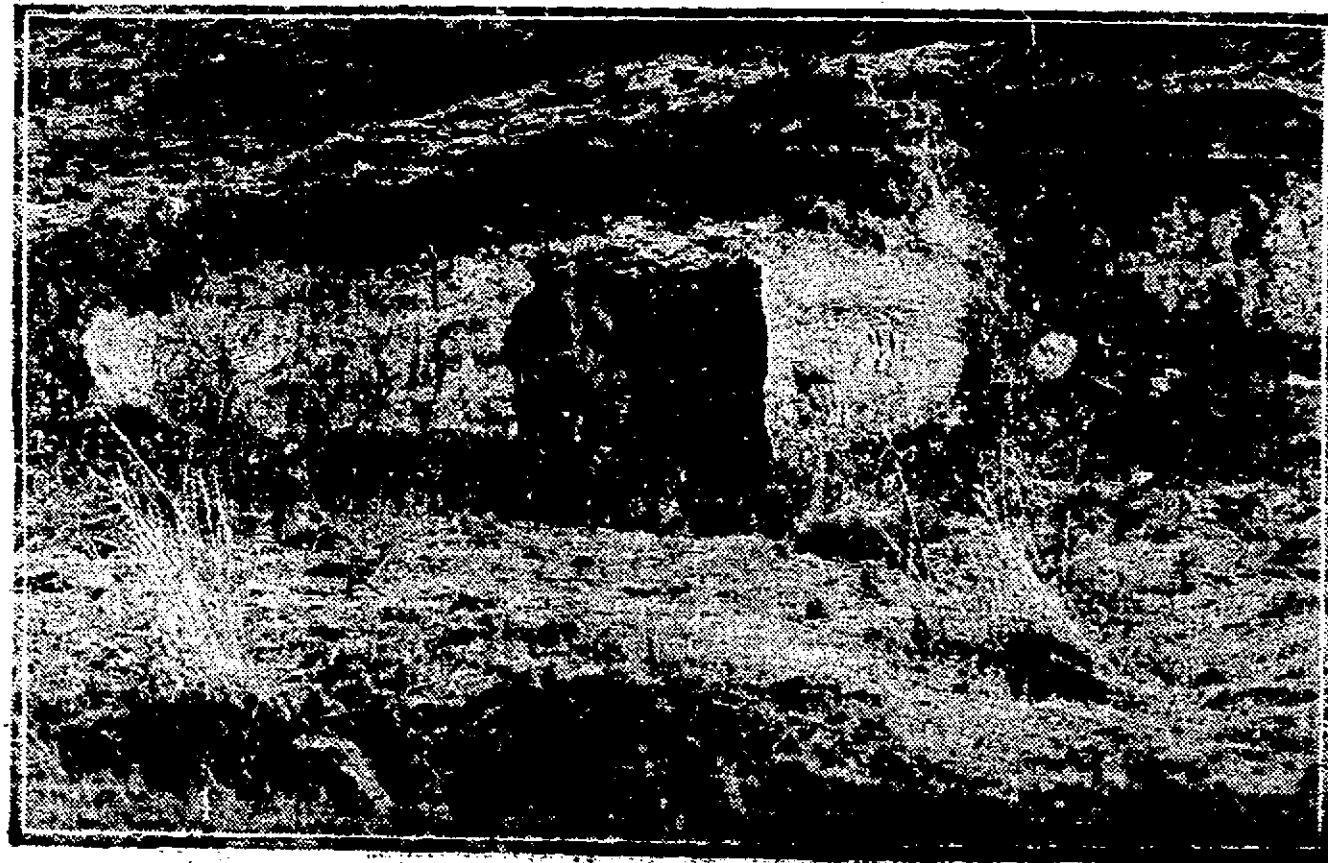
So I was all keyed up to see a score or more of old rock ruins; of tumbled down cabins, fine old orchards, beautiful terraces and possibly a few odd pieces of stray gold that had been overlooked in the general excitement.

But several years have passed since that little girl's curly brown hair has become silvered; she has gathered fourteen native sons and daughters for the state in which she was born, being quite old fashioned in her ideas of the pleasures of having a large family; and though her memory portrayed very distinctly and very accurately the buildings that were in Chili gulch when she was a child, her son-in-law was most grievously disappointed not to find them there.

The terraces remain, and many of the old orchard trees still bear fruit; great gnarled trunks; wind swept, wind twisted, but still hale and hardy; true pioneers of that glorious period when pioneers were being put to the test on every side.

But the cabins are gone; here and there a lone wreck of a fireplace survives giving mute evidence that a convivial company of miners had once upon a time sat around it, smoked, gambled, drank a little, sometimes possibly a little more than a little; had spun yarns, dreamed dreams of the wonderful times to come when they returned home with the wealth of California in their jeans; and where they month after month, and year after year put off that eventful return "back home" and concluded finally to make home where God had created so many attractive reasons for living.

On the stone hotel and stage office, with its Dutch oven, only the remains. The foundation stones are still in evidence. You can't miss it as you pass up Chili gulch, for the hard hearted, unscrupulous State highway surveyors have cut the present road right through the middle of the buildings. A barb wire fence protects the oven and what is left of the wall from being completely destroyed. It is the last remaining evidence of the commercial life of Chili gulch, and should be preserved for the sake of the very last future when the State of California will have



Before the Spaniard Came



Relics and Solitary Remnant of Indian Tribe at One Time Numerically Strong

By Henry Sweet.

ON the sunny slopes of the Contra Costa hills in the pretty little town of San Pablo, lives one of California's oldest inhabitants Juana Martinez, Digger Indian of royal lineage. Her father, according to report, was one of the important chiefs who ruled prior to the coming of the early Spaniards that settled this region.

Juana Martinez is reputed to be more than 100 years old, according to the earliest settlers who say they remember her as a woman of middle age, even in their younger years. But to the world Juana claims that she does not remember her age.

But as old as she must be, Juana still walks with sprightly step, talks pleasantly in Spanish or Indian and discusses matters that happened eighty years ago as if they had occurred yesterday. It has been the lot of observing her native land pass through three ownerships. First, when she was a papoose in the haunts of her fathers, there was naught but peace among her people. They ruled like magnates in the harmless way. Mild, peaceful and extremely simple, the diggers had few foes until the Spaniard came.

With the advent of the Spanish people Juana saw many of her people dispossessed of the land that had always been theirs. Her fellow tribesmen were many of them drafted as house servants, the braves of the tribes were used for menial labor for the earlier Dons, and as early as 1850 the tribes that had once held sway here were decimated.

But other white men were gradually gaining a mastery and many of Juana's people lived to see the Spaniard's ensign supplanted by the Stars and Stripes.

But kindly as has been the rule of the "Yankee," whom Juana has always regarded with a friendly interest, the coming of civilization meant doom to her people. There are a few left and although Juana's earlier years are surrounded in mystery, she remembers the time when her tribesmen were numerous and powerful here. Juana remembers little of her parentage. Rumor have it that she was the daughter of a powerful chief and that when she was a tiny baby she was brought to Contra Costa county and adopted by a Spanish family, whose name of Martinez she has since carried.

Juana Martinez stands as a reminiscence of at least five generations. She is almost the last of a dying race. In her little cabin at San Pablo, where she can watch the sunbeams glisten and play from the deep blue bay in front to the stately mountains in the background she lives again the days of the past when her forefathers reigned in the land.

The knowledge that, with the passing of the Diggers their lore, their history and their legends are also fast dropping from sight, the Contra Costa Federation of Women's clubs requested Mrs. Paul



Juana Martinez is the name that was conferred by her foster parents on the Indian woman shown here (the one at the right), who is said to be of royal lineage in the Digger tribe and to be more than 100 years old. She resides at Richmond. The skull, pestle and mortar shown here were taken from one of the old mounds at Richmond.

Dunlap, of 27 Terrace Place, to make a survey of the former tribes that inhabited Contra Costa county and put the record into the archives of the Federation so that posterity might know of the people of the era that touched the coming of the white conqueror to California.

Mrs. Dunlap herself is a pioneer, having been born at El Cerrito. Her father, Benjamin Boorman, of Richmond is also a pioneer, having come to what is now the Richmond district in about 1854 and calling the Eastbay his home for many years.

As a background to her study Mrs. Dunlap found that there are many relics which prove that the Diggers held sway in California for many years. Among these are the shell mounds, found between thirty and twenty years ago in the Richmond district. They have yielded tons of skeletons, skulls and Indian ornaments and weapons. Many Richmond homes contain pieces of skeletons that have come from the Richmond mounds on the beach, near the inner harbor.

Although the Diggers themselves were a small people as Mrs. Dunlap found, one of the skeletons which came from the mound opposite Twenty-eighth street was that of a giant, at least seven feet tall, according to reports. The Digger averaged about five feet four inches.

The Digger was characterized by a low, retreating forehead, black, deep set eyes, thick bushy eyebrows, salient cheekbones, a nose depressed at the root and somewhat widespread at the nostrils, a large mouth with thick, prominent lips, teeth large and white and rather large ears.

The Diggers of Contra Costa county were divided into four tribes, according to Mrs. Dunlap, the Juchiyunes, Acalanes, Bogones

and Carquinez. There seemed to be little of community interest among them and no common government was attempted.

Male Diggers found here when the first whites came were accustomed to going entirely nude. The women wore aprons of tules which were tied around the waist and extended to the knees. Tattooing was universal with the women and they showed a moderate degree of art in their blending and mixing of the colors with which they adorned their bodies. The men wore crude loin cloths and in winter or cold weather they either threw a deer skin over their shoulders or put on a thick coat of mud to keep out the chill winds.

For food the Digger ate a simple menu of roots, berries, grass seeds, acorns and shell fish. This varied as the season afforded earth worms, grasshoppers, fish and deer. When food was scarce, they made bread from the kernels of the buckeye. They never forsook their favorite methods of cooking, which consisted of boiling meats in water tight baskets by dropping hot stones into the water. Their meat they roasted by putting it upon forked sticks before the fire for they baked it by burying it in a hole in the ground and building a fire over it.

Their dwellings were merely boughs to protect them from the sun, in winter they lived in wigwags. They did not approach to the regularity of villages but their homes were in scattered clusters.

The Contra Costa county Indians made no canoes. They had no individual small boats according to Mrs. Dunlap. The most common craft, which they navigated only close to shore, was a boat about ten feet in length made of tules. They made these by tying bundles of tules together, the ends being drawn to a point. These were used in all their primitive crudeness as late as 1850 according to Mrs. Dunlap.

The later Contra Costa county Indians cremated their dead, but the earlier tribes appeared to have buried them in mounds. They were a democratic people in life, but the contents of one of the mounds near Richmond, opened about twenty years ago, would seem to indicate that this mound was occupied solely by chiefs and their families.

This mound which yielded the giant, seven feet tall, also gave up a large quantity of ornaments, weapons, work tools, and a few crude culinary articles, such as hand grain crushers. One of these, a small mortar and pestle, was found by Dr. C. R. Blake. A skull, picked up there by Dr. Blake, was in a perfect state of preservation. It is that, he says, of an Indian girl, apparently about 18 or 19 years old.

Indians were worried but little with matters religious, and the Digger was no exception to his eastern brother. He believed in the presence of a Great Spirit that animated the forest and stream with a voice that spoke to his inmost heart. For him, if he were a good Indian, and did not own more wives than he could feed, and if he lived up to the Digger code, there was a happy hunting ground where fish and game abounded and where he should spend his days in a land of peace and plenty much like the Garden of Eden of his white brother.

Like his white brother, the grizzly bear was the Diggers' emblem. To him, the grizzly was a sacred animal. No matter how hard pressed by hunger, he would not taste the flesh of the grizzly. He never killed it, and his few crude drawings were liberally interspersed with bear life.

It is known that the Indians of the Pacific coast, including those of Arizona and Nevada, formerly

gathered on the beach where Richmond now stands, and elsewhere about the bay, for pow-wows lasting oftentimes many weeks. They usually came in spring, camped nearby and visited together.

Many ascribe their gatherings to religious ceremonies, holding that the tribesmen gathered, feasted and danced on the beach and held a simple communion with the Great Spirit with their fellow men.

Others believe that these migrations were for more earthly matters, and that a sort of common council was held in which matters of common interest were discussed and probably matters of common protection against the mountain tribes which constantly threatened to surge across the deserts and conquer their land.

But pioneer Ben Boorman has a theory adverse to these. He was here when California had its great flood of 1861-62. Then a deluge of water poured over this region, submerging what is now Richmond so completely that the steamer from Sacramento on its regular trips for many months deserted the channel and sailed over field and valley, so deep was the water. This flood of fresh water killed the clams which had formerly inhabited the Richmond bay country so thickly that millions of tons covered the shores. Energetic Eastbay dwellers formerly filled wagons with them and ferried them to San Francisco by millions.

But with the passing of the clams, following the flood, the Diggers ceased to gather for their annual feasts on the bay shore. And Boorman believes that it was because the clams, their main attraction, was gone, they abruptly ceased to visit he says, when the floods stopped the clam growing on the beach.

But whether or not Boorman is right, the visits of the Diggers and their cousins, the Washoes, of Nevada ceased. And the tribes themselves have gone their way, the race being almost extinct.

POSTSCRIPTS

BY

SCOGGINS,
THE MAILMAN

CLEAN HANDS

With books in hand—
And eager heart—
To be out where all nature called—
Each day for new adventure—
I've often stood long years ago—
And pulled on mother's apron strings—
Impatient for her good-bye kiss—
And when she stooped to smooth my hair—
And rearrange my long bow tie—
She never let me go my way—
Without she asked with low firm voice—
"Let's see—my boy—how are your hands?"
You know good boys must have clean hands—
And though I stormed and danced in turn—
She never raised maternal ban—
Until she knew I had clean hands,
So now whenever memory stirs—
And mother's face again appears—
From out the void—
She seems to bend o'er me and say—
"How are your hands?"
How few of us can go through life—
With hands that's clean—
Each man goes forth into the world—
To do his might—
And oftentimes the plans he form—
Are black as night,
We match our wits with fellow man—
And matching win—
And in our exultation hour—
We proudly pose and praise our power—
And rarely question if we have—
Clean hands.
Each man should know before he starts—
To scale the heights to life's ambition—
The price he has to pay for it—
And meet it fair—
For on each back there is a load—
And those he meets along the road—
Are climbing, too,
And sometimes he will trudge with those—
Who won't fight fair,
Who crowd and push for vantage ground—
And lay a snare—
For those who tread unwarily—
He often hears coarse laughter ring—
Sees lips off-curt in scorn—
As hardened men watch those—
Steel-trapped—
And hear their cries forlorn—
But think you then that happiness—
Will come to those who do not have—
Clean hands—
For men may triumph for a day—
But it won't pay—
If on that final day he stand—
With mother there—
And has to hold out—

One Phase of Patriotism

By J. A. Waldron



"The war developed male character, in some cases, and it shed new lights upon the feminine."

The Three Soldiers Who Contended for the Hand and Favor of One London Girl

THERE was a movement of soldiery from one of the great English training camps to entrain for a coast town whence they were to ship for France.

Favored persons who had friends and relatives in the call had gone down from London for parting. There were society folk of influence, and among them was Miss Iris Radogan, whose admirers were many.

Gerald Minturn, Kenneth Lee and Angus Macpherson had all paid court to the fair Iris. They moved in the same circle, and were friendly rivals for her favor. All three had fallen under the military influence and, as luck would have it, all had been in camp together, though of different commands. Intelligent and earnest, all three had found promotion before seeing actual service, for the war's better work made promotion rapid.

Minturn was adj. a major, and Lee and Macpherson were the insignia of captains. All three young men had come to the point with Miss Radogan before enlisting, but with the privilege of beauty undecided she had held all on a string without committing herself. No doubt on this visit she had hoped to see all three of her cavaliers and wish them luck in France, incidentally taking care of her sentimental bias on them all.

"You're that bonny nothing can take you from my sight, wherever I may go," said Capt. M. Macpherson, who was given to fine phrases. It was his fortune to catch her first.

"I'm not sure of that," she replied with a laugh. "There are handsome girls in France."

"I shall have no eyes for them," he responded. And he was still holding her hand as Captain Lee came on the scene. She disengaged herself to greet Lee and the Scot, summoned at the instant, left them with a sigh.

"If I write may I depend upon a reply?" asked Lee, putting into a glance something he was too nervous to phrase.

"If you are not sentimental—too sentimental—yes."

"But there is sentiment here," he indicated two or three couples locked in parting embraces, careless of witnesses.

"But isn't that a bit vulgar?" Yet her eyes held his, as he thought with a promise. "I wish you all good fortune—and a glorious return. But I see Lady Melchoir and must speak with her." And she

hurried away, turning to give him a smile. Lady Melchoir was engaged with Major Minturn, who excused himself and advanced to greet Miss Radogan.

"May I hope—may I assume—that you came down to see me off?" he asked.

"Hardly that," she replied, but her smile foiled her candor. "I have so many friends who are going, you know."

"Oh, yes—of course! There are Lee and Macpherson."

"And so many other social friends?"

"But seriously, I would strive

for almost any promotion over there if I were sure you are interested—in you."

"You may be sure I should wish your safe return if you were still a major." And though he grew ardent she would commit hers if no further.

Over in France the three soldier friends went almost at once into action in the big drive, their commands being kept well together. But they saw nothing of one another.

One after another, at intervals which sent them to hospital and afterward saw them invalided to

The Nurse in the Field Hospital Who Let All the Patients Make Love to Her

the rear, they tasted the fruits of action, though none was seriously hurt. Macpherson's hand was mutilated by shrapnel; Lee suffered a slight fracture from something kicked up by a bomb; and Minturn's foot was pinched by a runaway caisson. By chance they met while loafing and just before all three were about to return to duty. There was an unwonted cordiality in their greetings, and after they had compared notes of experiences at the front all seemed inclined to talk of more intimate matters.

"I may as well be frank with you boys," said the major. "I'm going to let you fight it out between you as to the lovely Miss Radogan."

"To be candid," said Lee, "there's no right in me on that score. I've found men more attractive."

"Why, then," said Macpherson, who lapsed into native phrase under stress of astonishment, "I'm black there myself! The lady's a charmer, but a bit too artful! So we're all likewise inclined!"

They looked at one another nonplussed and changed the subject. But a peculiar suspicion lingered with each.

Back in the field hospital the chief surgeon was having an argument with a nurse known as Maud. It was whispered that she was a woman with a rule, yet without the too-common desire for recognition. Her suggestions had been so often set aside and she had been assigned to the care of officers whose hurts were not serious, and her success in such cases was a source of wonder even to the doctors.

"You are exact in all technical matters, but to your duty," said the chief surgeon to Maud, "yet you don't seem to care for your success. What is your chief aim in the work?"

"A desire to do more than my share, if possible, toward the success of the army."

"One of the best such a desire is entitled to."

"Perhaps. The weak point in most cases is that you men of science confine yourselves too closely to the mathematics of your art as they relate to physiology. You place too little dependency upon psychology."

"And then your success is due to the fact that you permit every one of your patients to make love to you?"

"Yes."

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Post-Scripts

SCOTTISH & J. A. WALDRON

BLIND MAN'S BLUFF.

The time—
You spend in make believe—
In saying foolish things to her—
Which she knows well is applesauce—
Is known to all and each of us—
As courtship day—
Some make of it a marathon—
And sigh and spoon for golden years—
Until the tang of youth has fled—
And eyes have lost their luring—
While others make a record dash—
And clip the seconds off of time—
"With thee?"—she winks—and whispers—"Yes!"—
And often times a pretty me—
Will follow in her willing—
The old folks sigh and shake their heads—
And say—"They'll wish that they were dead—
Before their honeymoon has waned!"—
But who can tell—
Or give advice to beau or belle—
That would be worth the giving—
I've heard a yearning heart await—
Somewhere in this big world of ours—
For each and every one of us—
A proper mate—
For every skate—
Our duty is to find her—
And when we do—sneak up behind her—
And throw the maiden in a fit—
By saying—"Sweetheart—tag—
You're it!"—
I've heard the barkers stand and shout—
And tell to those who stood with-

out—
That on the inside was a show—
That would cause saddened hearts to glow—
But when we lay our money down—
We find the same old silly clown—
And everything we've seen before—
Which makes us sore—
Now that's the way it is in courtship day—
For Cupid with bright eyes aglow—
Is barker for life's biggest show—
And tells in most alluring voice—
Of things that make our hearts rejoice—
And says the show within the tent—
Is great—
And so we go with willing mate—
Into the greatest show on earth—
With trusting hearts—eyes full of mirth—
But soon there comes surprise complete—
We find some splinters in the seat—
Performers there are good and bad—
Some must act parts so very sad—
While some must do the clowning—
Some heard the lion in his den—
And we applaud these supermen—
Whose heads are used to crowning—
Could we have seen the tears that flow—
From eyes that held a hopeful glow—
We might have hesitated—
But still we flock—there is no dearth—
To see the greatest show on earth.

HUMAN NATURE on the HALF SHELL

Joseph Van Raalte



The Story of Lady Camille, the Only Hen in the World With \$250 Jewel

By Joseph Van Raalte

A BROWN-EYED hen at a poultry show in Chelsea, Mass., the other day, arose from the straw-padded chaise longue in her temporary packing box boudoir, and pecked a \$250 diamond out of a ring on the right hand of a young visitor named George Hennessey, who had attempted to become familiar.

The young visitor got sore and had the hen locked up in a Chelsea jail charged with grand larceny. The following week she had her picture in the Sunday papers on the same page with Obregon, Bishop Manning, Commissioner

soul-clogging angularities of the barnyard.

Her mother used to look at her as much as to say: "I wasn't able to escape and why should you?"

You see, Camille's mother did not understand the longings, yearnings, strivings, that swelled her daughter's liver out of shape, like a pate de foie gras.

Some chickens are not related to their parents and never will be.

Looking round the barnyard at her brothers and sisters, Camille said to herself: "The more I see of life the more convinced I become that no one but an unmiti-

what? None of them will ever achieve distinction. They will run their allotted span and then each will take up his abode in the silent halls of the cold storage plant.

"Surely, there must be some destiny in this life for a hen, other than the questionable achievement of climbing in between two slices of bread to make a quick lunch sandwich for a busy bootlegger.

"Am I placed here to strive all my existence so that pretty soon, some day, a mentally diluted young man with Valentino sideburns will give a bobbed-haired girl a box of bonbons because she

Leader of Barnyard Tells How She Got Out of Rut and Let Drudgeries Go Hang

changed her name to Rosette, called herself a "maid," and had no difficulty in getting \$10.

"You see," said Camille, "it's not so much what you say as it is the number of people you can get to

believe you. No one ever raises the value on the price tag you hang on yourself."

So thereafter she advertised herself as a prize Blue Orpington hen, and sure enough, when the poultry show opened her Boss entered her as a contestant.

She had risen above the mediocrity of the barnyard. Now came the task of getting past the protective coloring that smothered her initiative among the elite.

Success in life, at any stage, consists in catching the eye of the speaker.

And then along came Hennessey—Hennessey with the affectionate disposition and the diamond ring.

"Lord," said Camille, "thy servant thanks Thee!"

And forthwith she pecked the diamond out of Mr. Hennessey's ring and tucked it away in her girlish gizzard.

In court next day the Judge ruled that "You can't blame a hen for anything she does."

"Operate on her," cried Hennessey. "I insist that Camille be made to cough up!"

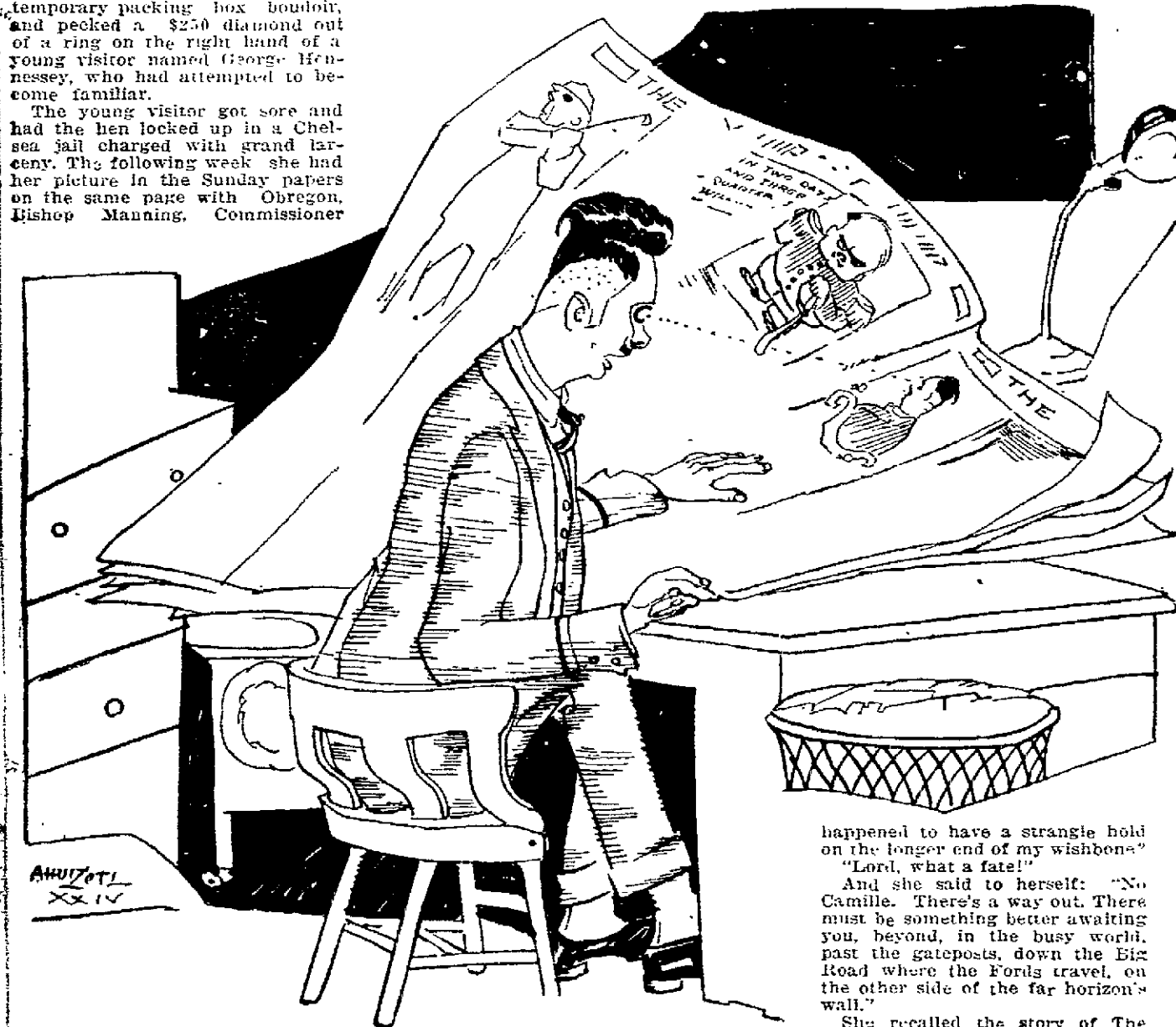
This is a pretty little story because, at this juncture, who should come along but our old friend Lawrence Randall, Boston, hen connoisseur.

He said he'd purchase Camille, and her Boss replied: "Ordinarily, I would not part with her. But she has developed a taste that is no match for my modest bank roll."

Old man Randall paid Mr. Hennessey \$250 for the diamond that Camille had filched, and now Randall is the proud possessor of the only prize hen on earth with a diamond-studded gizzard.

So live that you never disappoint your press agent.

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Enright, King Geo. and John D. Rockefeller.

Which is one way of proving that when you place yourself in the way of things, they happen.

Think of all that Rockefeller has had to go through—the Standard he has had to maintain—to achieve the unique distinction of getting his picture in the same Sunday supplement with an ambitious hen!

The average hen is handicapped by a temperament which bars her from all human sympathy and understanding. Her glance of nervous apprehension gives her the appearance of being always on the verge of a nervous breakdown, which is not in keeping with the facts in the case.

A hen picks her way through life looking more scared than the importance of this world justifies.

And because most hens look that way, every hen has just naturally come to be regarded as an ass.

But Lady Camille, the Massachusetts hen that got her picture in the paper with Rockefeller, is an exception. There is always a hundredth hen.

The "Lady" part of Camille's name was tacked there by her loving friends to forestall any misunderstanding. Her folks thought it best not to take any chances with plain, unvarnished "Camille." A girl can't be too careful. You know how people talk.

Camille was born with a streak of the inevitable in her. From the first she was identified by the mark which distinguishes the Inevitable Many from the Discerning Few.

She did not mix much with the young roosters in her set. When the others strove together in the Warm Verein, Camille would stand apart, leaning up against the shady side of the barn, permitting the fumes of thought to deepen in her brow. Her mother used to remonstrate with her.

"Camille," she used to say, "I declare to goodness I don't know what ails you. You act like a Philadelphia capon. What's the matter with you? Have you got the pip?" Camille did not have the pip.

She was peering into the future—planning a getaway from the

gated ass can be contented in this world. Observe these tools scratching gravel all their days. And for

happened to have a strangle hold on the longer end of my wishbone."

"Lord, what a fate!"

And she said to herself: "No, Camille. There's a way out. There must be something better awaiting you, beyond, in the busy world, past the gateposts, down the Big Road where the Fords travel, on the other side of the far horizon's wall."

She recalled the story of The Rise of Rose.

Those had received \$5 as a hired girl. The next place she went she

SIXTEEN is the dangerous age for girls, according to Miss Maud Miner, secretary of the Girls' Service Club of America. Eleven thousand girls in the United States ran away from home last year, and by far the greater number of these were sweet sixteen. Nor need any one be surprised at this.

Sixteen is the age of adventure with a girl. It is the time when she is restless and discontented, tired of all the old things, and eager for something new and strange and full of thrills. It is the time when her mind is seething with half-formulated thoughts and desires and when she has a morbid curiosity about life.

She has no idea what she desires of fate. Only it must be something totally unlike the safe, quiet Main street she has known all her life, and she is so eager for a change that she is ready to throw her cap over the windmill and follow the forbidden path, without ever even asking where it leads.

Sixteen with girls is the romantic age. Their heads are full of dreams that they fit on anything that wears trousers. They see the Fairy Prince in every varnished-haired little jellybean of a youth. They worship at the shrine of film stars, and they yearn to become lifesaving stations for all the drunkards and old rounders they meet.

They bestow their affections indiscriminately on the fit and the unfit, and like the heroine of "Floradora," they say, in effect, to every man: "I must love some one and it might as well be you." They are boy crazy, as the saying goes, and without knowing what they do, they do not hesitate to sell their birthright of maidenly modesty and purity for the mess of pottage of popularity. For the sake of automobile rides and gay parties and always having plenty of "dates,"

they take risks at whose memory they shudder the balance of their lives—if they escape destruction.

At sixteen girls are just beginning to realize sex attraction, and they are drunk on it.

The realization that a man's kiss can thrill them goes to their heads like wine. The knowledge that they can play upon the emotions of men and make men desire them turns them into Bacchantes. To we have the sad and terrible daily spectacle of little, young girls, half clad, playing the old game of sex allure with an openness that would shame a hardened woman of the streets.

Sixteen is the credulous age with girls. They will believe anything because they have no knowledge of life with which to test truth and falsehood. Still less do they ever apply the acid of doubt to any love vows. They have absolute faith in the honor of the man who begs them to clope with him without bothering about going through the archaic marriage ceremony. They never doubt that the married man who makes love to them will be faithful to them, although they have been faithless to their own wives and their own flesh and blood.

They believe all the wicked lies that are written about the beautiful girls who ran away from home, and went to Hollywood and became movie stars the next day, with million dollar contracts and limousines and pearls; or who went to some big city where they met a millionaire's son as they were coming out of the station, who fell in love with them at sight and married them and took them off to Europe on a solid gold yacht.

At sixteen they have never been hungry; they have never been cold; they have never lacked any comfort or known any anxiety about providing for themselves. They have been shielded from the rough side of life and they know no more of

the real world than a babe in its cradle.

So they believe in white magic. They believe that nothing can hurt them, and they wreck their lives by cloping with strangers and running away to follow impossible careers, through the foolhardiness that is born of ignorance.

At sixteen girls are nearly all dissatisfied at home, and resentful of parental control.

This is inevitable, unless the parents are wise enough to use the iron hand in the velvet glove in dealing with their children, and few parents have the finesse or are willing to take the trouble to do this.

At sixteen a girl feels older than she will at eighty, and she is more sure that she knows it all than she will ever be again, for there is no wisdom and cocksureness equal to that of youth.

On the other hand, mother regard the 16-year-old girl as a mere child, who is treated as a child and made to obey as a child. Hence, there is perpetual conflict between the two, and sixteen is ready to do almost anything to get away from what she considers the grinding tyranny of mother and the jail of a home.

Worst of all, sixteen is the age when a girl thinks everything is final. You cannot convince her that she is in a stage of evolution, and that six years hence she will not be the same person she is today.

She feels that her fancy for some boy is the eternal passion, and so she marries him and is miserable ever after. Or she makes some other wrong and foolish decision that blasts her happiness.

Yes, sixteen is the dangerous age. Happy and fortunate are those girls who have wise and loving mothers to watch them, and guide them through that perilous passage between childhood and womanhood.

DOROTHY DIX

Yellow Bird, Cherokee Singer

A Narrative About John Rollin Ridge, Pioneer California Writer and Orator

By May S. Corcoran

ONCE when President Jackson was about to deliver an address on an open-air platform a man from the Cherokee Nation mounted the stand beside him and asked him to move over. Graciously the President acquiesced. "A little farther," said the Indian. Farther moved the President. Again and yet again the request was repeated and the President yielded until forced to answer: "I cannot move any farther. I have reached the edge." "That is where you are pushing us," murmured the Cherokee.

Westward they were pushed from Georgia to Oklahoma, from the acres they called their own to the last spot the white man craved, and there they have found wealth—save one. He turned not to the south but still on into the land of gold and promise, into the winds of the western sea, into California. A contemporary of Bret Harte, he was also a poet, yet today in this land that he loved, he is almost unknown.

John Rollin Ridge, from forty-five to the late sixties, California poet, journalist, and politician, was born in the "Cherokee Nation, East of the Mississippi River," March 19, 1827. His father, John Ridge, son of the chief and council orator, Ka-nun-ra-cla-ge, by white men called Major Ridge, spent the first fifteen years of his life as an untutored savage, but later attended the "Cornell School" in Connecticut, where, with the quick wit of the wilderness, he completed his education in a surprisingly short time and married a white girl of good family, with whom he returned to his Nation. When their little boy came into the world the grandfather chief called him "Chees-quai-a-law-ny," which is interpreted "Yellow Bird." This name he often signed, and although happily married to a white woman and prominent in the intellectual growth of California, to the end he cherished the hope that the "Cherokee Nation, in conjunction with the Choctaws, would be admitted into the Confederacy of the United States."

At the age of twelve he witnessed the assassination of his father by a rival faction in the Nation and resolved to cast his lot for some years with the white race. His mother settled in Arkansas but sent her son to Massachusetts to be educated at the Barrington school. The climate proving too severe for his constitution, he returned to Fayetteville and continued his studies under a former missionary of the Cherokees, Rev. Cephus Washbourne. In 1849, with his wife and little daughter, he came to Yuba City, and a short time later occupied a pretty dwelling on the corner of B and Fifth streets in Marysville, while holding a notary's desk in the county clerk's office.

In the little volume of poems collectively preserved he wrote:

"Oh, Yuba City! 'tis a sin
Thou art lovely and forsaken,
When uglier cities favor win,
And prosperous paths have taken.

"Who seeks for beauty, they shall meet
The picture where they find thee—
The Feather river at thy feet,
The lofty Buttes behind thee."

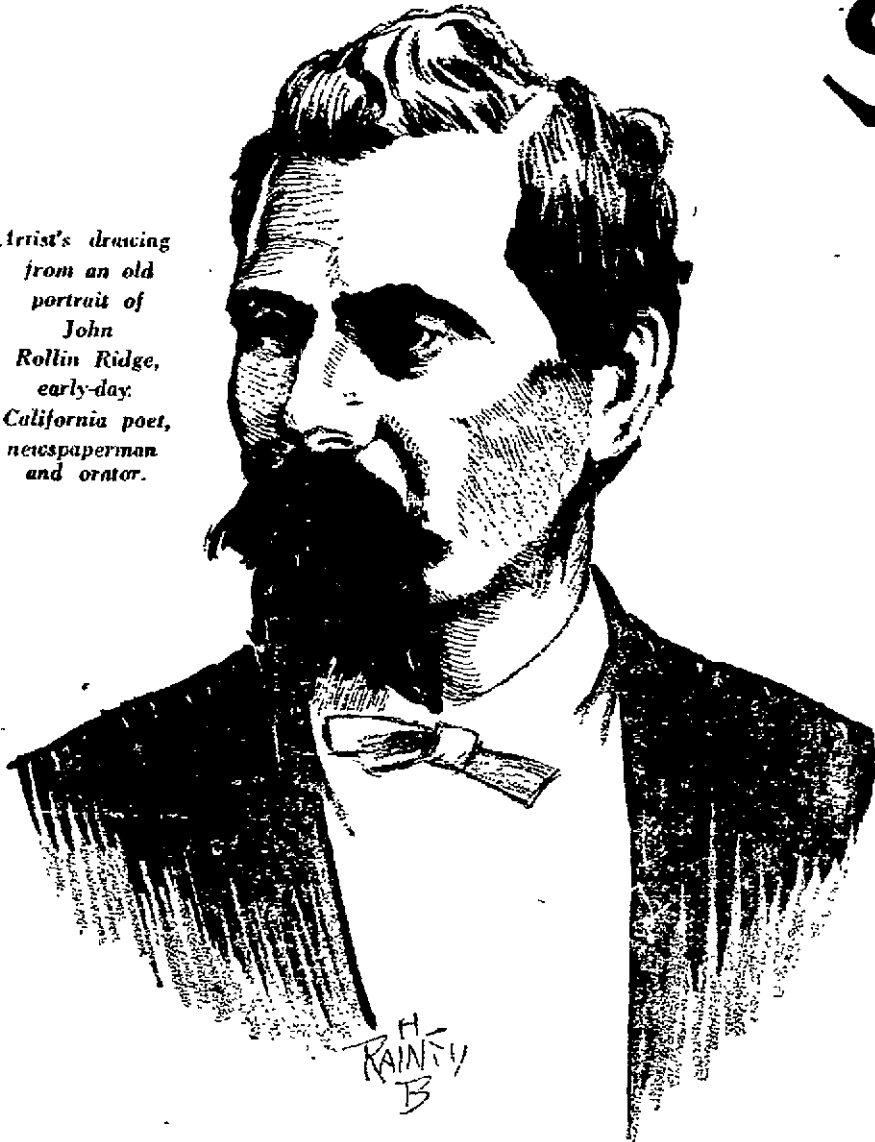
Here too, in his "Harp of Broken Strings," comes his tribute to the Sacramento:

"And now by Sacramento's stream,
What memories sweet its music brings—
The vows of love, its smiles and tears,
Hang o'er this harp of broken strings."

While he preferred the meter of the Indian, his mind was trained for intellectual effort. This is shown in his longer, more studied poems, as in the following stanza from "The Atlantic Cable":

"Let Earth be glad! for that great work is done,
Which makes at last the Old and New World one!
Let all mankind rejoice! for time nor space
Shall check the progress of the human race!
Though Nature heaved the continents apart,
She cast in one great mould the

Artist's drawing from an old portrait of John Rollin Ridge, early-day California poet, newspaperman and orator.



human heart;
She framed in one great plan the human mind,
And gave man speech to link him to his kind;
So that, though plains and mountains intervene,
Or oceans, broad and stormy, roll between,
If there but be a courier for the thought—
Swift-winged or slow—the land and seas are nought,
And man is nearer to his brother brought."

Beginning newspaper work on the California Express, which was founded in Marysville, November 3, 1851, he took the editorial chair when Colonel Rust resigned, July 26, 1867. Here his dream of a confederacy of Nations began to take shape. The California Express became the "warm exponent of pure, unadulterated States' Rights Democracy, and during the long Civil War was an earnest advocate of the Lost Cause," and the right of the Southern states to secede from the Union.

That idea of "right" John Rollin Ridge had drawn in with his first breath. When the Cherokee Nation took its grievance against the Georgians who maintained that "no separate government could be erected within the limits of a sovereign state" to President Jackson they received in reply a letter from the secretary of war dated April 15, 1829. This letter read:

"The claim of being an inde-

pendent nation is to be found in the fact that during the Revolutionary war the Cherokees were the allies of Great Britain, a power claiming entire sovereignty of the thirteen colonies, which sovereignty by virtue of the Declaration of Independence and the subsequent treaty of 1783, became vested respectively in the thirteen original states, including North Carolina and Georgia. If they had since been permitted to abide on their lands, it was by permission, a circumstance giving no right to deny the sovereignty of this State. . . . The arms of the United States will not be employed to stay any State of the Union from the exercise of the legitimate powers belonging to her in her sovereign capacity."

With this handed down from his forefathers, Ridge was sincere in his contention that he maintained in spite of the indignation of his townspeople.

On August 4, 1858, Ridge resigned from the California Express and assumed the position of editor of the Daily News, in which he had purchased an interest. The News, hitherto an independent paper, became the Daily National Democrat, a staunch advocate of the Douglas Democracy. From this he resigned April 23, 1861.

On September 2, 1859, when the Society of California Pioneers celebrated the ninth anniversary of the admission of California to the Union, his poem, "California" was

Author With Indian Blood Made Notable Addition to Early Literature of the State

read in the American Theater, San Francisco, before an imposing audience.

"Bright land of summery days and golden peace,
Of vine and flowers and ever rich increase;
Of veined hills and mountain treasure-stored,
Where misser-gnomes in secret watch their hoard,
And start at the burglar pick and spade.
That do their careful hidden wealth invade,
I would some better, worthier hand than mine
Could yield thee now the treasure that are thine,
And paint thee as a poet should divine!"

In San Francisco, July 4, 1860, he delivered an original ode to the flag:

"The waves unto the marching winds that sweep
Cloud bannered, thunder-armed upon the deep."

Before the Agricultural, Horticultural, and Mechanics' Society of the Northern District of California on Wednesday evening, August 1, 1860, he delivered a lengthy poem showing deep thought, classic learning, and historical knowledge. Selected poet for the sixth commencement of the University of California, then the Oakland College, he wrote:

"And thus the proudest boat shall be
Of young ambition crowned—
The woods of Oakland shelter me,
Their leaves my brow have bound."

After his death Mrs. Ridge collected a number of his poems which were printed in one volume by Edward Bosqui & Company, San Francisco, 1868. Being asked to peruse the book with a biographical sketch, she wrote: "I career on this coast in connection with political and literary journalism is familiar to all readers."

This was true in the sixties, but today in the very University of California, whose foundation proudly assisted in laying, he scarcely known. His two volumes are rarely, if ever, called for by student. Much may be found patient search in the Bancroft Library, but it is like prospecting for gold—one who digs may find treasure, or only a vein that taps away into the sand.

His "Life and Adventures of Joaquin Murieta" passed through three editions. The second edition he disclaimed "inasmuch as spurious edition has been foisted upon unsuspecting publishers by them circulated, to the infringement of the author's copyright; the damage of his literary estate—the spurious work, with its interpolations, fictions, additions and imperfectly disguised distortions of the author's phraseology being by many persons confounded with original performance." The manuscript of the third edition, "revised and enlarged, according to the scope of additional facts," was purchased by F. MacCrellin and Company and by them published after the death of "lamented author John R. Ridge who was a Cherokee Indian." It is in the Bancroft collection.

He died suddenly and comparatively young, with many hopes fulfilled, but he lived long enough to show the strength of an Indian poet, the love of a pioneer Californian for the state of his adoption, and a faith which carried him safely away from the shadow of a gloom upon his manhood.

To "Faith" he wrote:
"Fair queen of this May day,
tributes I bring
Are not from the regions where
Cherubim sing,
Or glory refulgent encircles throne
Of Him, the Almighty, th' Eternal, the One.
Though there is the home of ultimate rest,
A Paradise endless, surpassing bliss,
Yet Earth was my birth-place,
mission is here,
And, dear is that birth-place,
mission is dear."

WHAT'S IN A NAME? BY Mildred Marshall

BLANCHE.

There is a large class of feminine names which originated from the complexion. Of these, one of the most popular is Blanche, meaning fair, or white. Its origin, in turn, is from bleu, the term by which absence of color is denoted by all tongues in western Europe. The French word for white is blanche, but the term was not employed as a feminine name in earlier times except in poetry.

Blanc, Blancus and Blanchard appear in Domesday and indicate the successive steps toward the acceptance of Blanche as a feminine name, but there is no record of her use as such in that worthy historical record. Blanchefleur (white flower) was the name of the mother of Sir Tristan. The first historical Blanche was Blanche of Navarre, the queen of Sancho IV, of Castile. Her granddaughter, the child of Eleanor Plantagenet, whom King John used as a lure by which to detach Philippe Auguste from the support of Brittany, was Blanche of Castile and her popularity passed the name on through the royal family for generations.

Blanche also formed the origin of the term La Reine Blanche for the

dowager queen of France, a term also associated with the custom of wearing a wreath of white flowers, inaugurated by Blanche of Castile. The daughter of Edward I was called Blanche in honor of his friendship with her son. Thus the name was firmly established among French and British nobility, as well as in Italy and Spain. France had only the one form Blanche. England preferred the name without the final "e." Italy derived the musical Bianca, but Spain preserved the original Blanca, borne by Bianca of Navarre. Portugal slipped an "r" in place of the "l" and spells it Branca.

Blanche's telephonic stone is the emerald, which assures her protection from evil and promises her great success. If this gem is also her birthstone, she has the nursery of a happy marriage. The hawthorne, signifying hope, is her flower. Wednesday is her lucky day and 2 her lucky number.

Miss Marshall will answer questions about your name if you will address her in care of The TRIBUNE, enclosing a self-addressed and stamped envelope for reply.

Cappy Ricks

By Peter B. Kyme

Statutory Morality Is Held to Blame for Immoral Deportment of the Human Kind

"WHERE have you been for the past week?" J. Augustus Redell demanded of Cappy Ricks, as the old gentleman slipped into his seat at the Round Table of the Bilgewater club. "Why the world has been going to the dogs all week. We haven't discussed anything or settled anything. Welcome home. How are you?"

"Answering your questions in the order in which they have been put, Augustus, I have been up to the State Legislature keeping a watchful eye on the State Housing bill, and, incidentally, enjoying myself reading the new and freakish bills a score of enthusiastic boobies of alleged lawmakers pulled out of their pistol pockets the opening day of the session. After reading them I am not well."

"You look as well as usual, Cappy."

"I've almost recovered from the nausea that overtook me in the legislative gallery, but I'm still heart-sick. Pass over the olives, Ulysses, and don't hog the celery."

Ulysses Grubb obeyed with alacrity and Cappy tucked away a dozen jumbo olives and a bouquet of celery before his soup arrived. And when the soup had gone the way of all good soup:

"I believe my appetite is returning," Cappy declared. "That proves the effect of a legal atmosphere on a plain citizen."

"Tell us your experiences at the State capital," Eddie Smith pleaded. "Of course, we expect a flood of freak bills at the opening of every session of the legislature, but then why worry about that? Nineteenth of them are killed in committee or laid on the table or thrown in the ash can or something. Wiser counsel prevails in the long run."

"Quite generally, Eddie, but think of the wasted time and energy and the lack of confidence in the law-makers which such bills engender. And think of the rage these boobies incite in their constituents who have voted for them and worn their campaign buttons and contributed to the campaign fund of the party. Why, their fool actions arouse in any sane man a great longing to sort out the jaw-bone of the wildest of wild asses and kill him a mess of State senators and assemblymen. When I reached the State capital and put up at the best hotel there I found the lobby filled with newly-arrived upholders of our palladiums of liberty, and almost the first man I ran into was Senator Blinker, who was formerly a yard manager of mine down in the San Joaquin valley. I'd fired him when he ran for mayor of that town and he's always felt a little hurt about it. He told me that at least I might have waited until he had been elected, which would have permitted him to quit the Ricks employ with dignity and a new job in sight, but I told him he was drawing a mighty sight better salary for attending to the Ricks business exclusively; besides which I couldn't afford to have the mayor submitting for us bids on municipal lumber bills."

Well, unfortunately for Blinker, he was elected mayor; the microbes of politics hit him early and often, and finally he went in for politics as a profession. When I looked him over in the hotel lobby, he appeared to me to be a trifle sad and seedy and in need of a kind word, so, inasmuch as I had motored up in order to land a few cases of pre-war Scotch safely at the lumbermen's headquarters, in the pious hope of establishing neighborly relations with the enemy, it occurred to me to invite Blinker up to my room for a sociable nip. His long, sad face brightened visibly at the suggestion, and he accepted with alacrity and some eagerness. My man had just poured him a highball when I said to him, "Blinker, how long have you been in the legislature?" He informed me that he had been a member six years—a State Senator. I then asked him if he had been present with his vote when the legislature voted California into the dry list, and he informed me proudly that he had been and had helped make the country dry."

"Well, Blinker," I replied, "just for that I'm going to slip you a glass of sarsaparilla instead of that liquor you crave." And by the Holy Pink-toed Prophet, I did! Blinker got up, very red of face, and left my room and half an hour later the chief of police telephoned me to engage another room and hide my stock there, because he was coming up to raid me in half an hour. I took his tip, but saved out a couple of jolts for the raiding squad. I sort of thought they'd show some reverence for stuff as old as mine. And they did."

Why, I thought you were



"The chief of police was coming up to raid me."

strongly in favor of prohibition. Cappy?" Ulysses Grubb declared. "So I am Ulysses. It's good—for other people and the very finest thing in the world for those who neglected to or could not afford to lay in a supply of pure goods before the lid went on. You can't trust the stuff one gets nowadays, and I hope all of my fellow-citizens will soon realize that fact and become teetotalers. However, I'm not going to be a hypocrite about it, like Blinker, and I'm here to tell you that I'd rather much be a law-

breaker than some lawmakers. For instance, I'd rather be a bootlegger than the author of the bill to ruin petting parties, by prohibiting the parking of automobiles on State and county highways outside of cities and villages."

"Morality by legislation always makes me want to be highly immoral, just to prove that I'm a human being. I hate to be suspected and charged with something I may not have done or intended doing but at that I'd rather be convicted of it than be the nit-wit who puts

My Husband's LOVE — By — Adele Garrison

THE WAY THE ANXIOUS VIGIL ENDED.

The vagaries of one's brain defy any analysis. I have contemplated this truth many times, but never have I had it borne in upon me more forcibly than in the three hours of my vigil over Junior which followed Katherine's watch of an equal time after we had fought and conquered his terrifying attack of croup.

While Katherine was watching and I was supposed to be sleeping, I had been unable to go to sleep until nearly half of my allotted time was over. Yet now that I was supposed to be wakeful, it seemed an absolute impossibility to hold my eyes open. I tried every device I knew, and finally my sheer will power succeeded—so well, indeed, that when it was time for Katherine to waken I was as wide awake as I ever had been in my life.

It was a pity to awaken her, I thought, and though I feared her displeasure, I decided to continue my vigil a little longer, at least until Junior should awaken. But almost on the stroke of the hour she had named, Katherine opened her eyes and looked at me with a comprehending grin.

"Smarty! Smarty!" she quoted. "Thought you wouldn't invite me again to this party, didn't you? You forget that I have trained myself to waken almost on the minute I set in my own mind. But I don't tell everybody that. It's a trade secret, so don't give it away."

"I'M ON THE JOB NOW." "But there isn't the slightest reason for you to get up now." I protested even as I marvelled again at the bright cheeriness of her face, wondered again if I had dreamed her unguarded betrayal of my misery when she thought I was sound asleep. Yet the echo of her low wail: "Oh! God! my empty arms!" seemed yet to echo in the corner of the room. And when I looked into her eyes I fancied that I saw the strain behind the bravery, and decided that I had not been mistaken after all, and that she was hiding real heartbreak behind the cheery mask to which she has accustomed us.

"Nor is there any reason for me to sleep when it's my trick, either," she said, and then Mother Graham's voice, crisp, efficient, yet low-toned, sounded from the doorway. She was fully dressed, carefully coiffured and fairly radiated capability.

"Please remember girls, that I'm on the job now," she said with decision, and Katherine, raising herself on one elbow, smiled indignantly at her.

KATHERINE'S DIRECTIONS. "If you'll promise to waken me when Junior awakes," she said, "I'll take another snooze. It must have an alcohol rub after all this perspiring, and it is very important, as you know, not to let him get chilled this morning."

Her voice expressed the utmost deference to the elder woman and Mother Graham—in Dick's parlance—"ate it up."

"Of course I'll promise," she said, "but what about Margaret?" she looks worn out."

"I was just coming to that," Katherine replied with a mischievous look at me. "She is to be excused, for bed, or breakfast or bath, whichever she wishes. But she is to get herself away from here at once."

I smothered the unworthy pique which is the things mothers have to fight when other hands than their own care for their children, and smiled back at my friends.

"I couldn't sleep if I tried, now," I said, "so I'm going to take a quick shower, a cup of coffee and a brisk walk. By the time I come back, perhaps Junior will be awake."

"No doubt he will," Katherine drawled, "and you'll be able to see that we haven't amputated any of his fingers or toes." But her eyes were tender, and I knew that her raillery hid comprehending sympathy with my feeling.

"You'd better produce the full complement," I threatened, and then turned to my mother-in-law. "Is Katie up, do you happen to know?"

"Up!" she ejaculated. "I should think she is! She has breakfast all ready. I've just had mine, and when you go down tell her to keep things hot for Mrs. Bickett until she comes. Or would you like a tray now?" She turned to Katherine solicitously.

"I want nothing but another snooze," Katherine said drowsily, as she turned over and thumped her pillow into shape. "I'm not a bit hungry and any time this morning will do for my breakfast. So long, Madge. Say good morning to the crew for me."

Tale of Dan McNutt and His Legislation and Rival Spelling 'Graft Wit' One 't'

In a bill that would require all drivers of automobiles outside of a city or village of more than 1000 inhabitants to stop at not less than ten feet and not more than 100 feet from the nearest railroad he is approaching, and then 'stop, look and listen'. . . . It's a poor rule that does not work both ways and I suggested to this senatorial marion that he should file a rider to his bill, calling upon all citizens to stop, look and listen before crossing in front of an automobile, and to provide a heavy penalty for railroads if the engineer or motorman neglected to stop, look and listen at every highway crossing along the right of way. Can't you see, Augustus, what would happen to the world if these fellows had their way? Why, the world would stand still! It would develop into one vast smear of pussy-footing, like the authors of freak bills.

"I got quite a kick out of the bill introduced by a lady member of the lower house. She wants the size of bird cages regulated by law. And her idea of a legal-sized bird cage is one slightly larger than a wardrobe trunk. This bill, if passed, would absolutely outlaw canaries in apartment houses, and is being fought by the proprietors of bird stores all over the State. And then there's the dog-muzzling law, which was submitted by a man who had a hole torn in his four-dollar socks by a Pomeranian, and who recently was convicted in the justice court for maintaining a pigsty within the city limits."

"The prize piece of legislation, however, is wrapped up in a bill that calls for the appropriation of a million dollars to investigate the activities of all secret societies in the State. Anybody who ever belonged to a so-called secret or fraternal society knows that 99 per cent of them fill the social needs of a certain class and that they are innocuous. Think of being taxed a million dollars just to snake some wild-eyed crazy Russian out of a cellar where he was telling half a dozen other nuts how our government ought to be run? Why, the first thing we know, gentlemen, there'd be a raiding squad up here to bust the Bilgewater club, because we're always telling the world how our government ought to be run, and most of us even go so far as to talk for publication, and admit that the way it's being run is a disgrace. However, until we talk with our tonsils tangled, grow whiskers, neglect the daily bath and meet in a cellar for luncheon, I think we'll be safe."

"I heard there was a bill before the legislature to have the meadow lark declared a game bird and outlawing an open and closed season on him."

"Yes," Cappy replied, "that bill was submitted by a tone-deaf naturalized European who likes pies made from fledging English sparrows, swallows and blackbirds. There is food for thought, however, in a bill recently submitted to the New York legislature. It calls for an appropriation of a million dollars for mothers of the State, to be distributed through a mothers' welfare board. Looks to me like a poor plan for speeding up the birth rate. Then there is the bill to appropriate two million dollars for old age pensions. Looks to me as if the single male hustlers of our country would soon have to support everybody in it. The motto of the wastrel will be: 'Spend everything on a good time in your youth; the State will care for you in your old age.'"

"This mad orgy of law-making by boob law-makers reminds me of Dan McNutt, who had a positive genius for getting himself elected to the legislature and making money out of it by putting in cinch bills against public service corporations. When the corporations sent Dan's wife a certain number of new bank bills, and she had searched them with a magnifying glass for identifying marks, Dan would lose interest in his cinch bill and refrain from screaming when it was killed in committee."

"With the passage of time, the putting in of cinch bills against public service corporations became Dan's exclusive graft, and was sacred to him until both houses of the legislature were inexpressibly shocked when an assemblyman named Van Dusen put in a raw cinch bill against the railroad company. Dan's fellow-legislators flew to him and in agitated whispers informed him of the unusual and unwarranted intrusion upon his peculiar prerogative. 'Who is this man, Van Dusen, Dan?' one of the family demanded. 'I'll tell you,' Dan replied unruffled. 'Don't get excited over that lad. He don't amount to nawthin'. Sure he's just an ignorant Dutchman. He spells graft with one 't.'"

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Letters of a Japanese Schoolboy

By Wallace Irwin

Illustration

Herb Roth

The Hard Luck Tale
of Jumbo Fatomato
and Relatives. and
White Haired Mice

Wife, Mother-in-
Law, Cannery Bird
Ejected by Landlord

TO Editor of Tribune who got
such a heavy intelligence his
head sometimes weigh 96
lbs. before breakfast.
Dearest Sir:

The world have got so much
sorra inside of it that I do not
know what I should do unless I
write to you pretty darnly often.
Excuse it, please.

For instance, observe the hard-
ened luck of Hon. Jumbo Fatomato,
Japanese whale-weight pugilist,
who cannot fight neither Sir Jno.
Dempsey nor Hon. Mr. Wills for
reason that he draw the color line
both ways. And in addition to
that he are now walking streets in
a homeless condition. Please cry
a little.

Last Thudsy p. m. I observe him
emerging from Sons of Samurai
Bullard & Lunch Parlor. Since
last I see him he have fell away in
such enlarged chunk that he now
weigh merely 337½ lbs. Averdo-
porpoise.

"Jumbo Fatomato!" I holla-baf-
fably, "you are dying swiftly by
yards. What happens to make you
thusly thin & emaciated?"

"Homelessness did it," he nar-
rate pessimistically. "Landlords
are driving me down to zero.
Please include landlords in this
complaint. I got no place to sleep,
except standing up, and yestdy I
were arrested for falling asleep on
a lamp-post which got knocked
over when I slumbered on it. I
ask to know. What shall I do?"

He rung his hands till they near-
ly came off.

"Clam yourself, Jumbo Fato-
mato," I narrate. "Kindly to in-
form me, syllable by syllable, what
have collapsed in your life."

"Rent Profiteers are blame for
my sorra," he lambent. "They are
a company of Pie Rats. That is
what I shall call them to their
greedy mustaches."

He attempt to faint away. I
jump rapidly for fearful he might
drop my way.

"For three (3) complete yrs.," he
resum, "I have lived very Christian
life in a flat with two (2) ladies."

"2?" I required with shocked
arithmatick.

"Quite conveniently," he decry.
"If you wish you know them, fol-
lowing are the list:

1—My Wife.

2—My Motherenlaw.

"In addition to this we kept a
cannery bird & 2 white-haired
mice. Togo, I give you my earnest
insurance, that home were a very
happy one, except when I was
there. As soon as I arrive things
would become slightly crowded be-
cause I require six (6) dining room
chairs to set on and when I go bed
I am somewhat wider than usual.
This require my Wife and Hon.
Motherenlaw to move into hallway,
which were a very narrow-minded
place.

"But yet I did not complain be-
cause of these discomforts. When
I are happy I are quite willing to
sacrifice anything, except the things
I want.

"Well, Togo, if you got any tears
handy get ready to squirt them
now. For I are about to tell you
a tradidr."

He removed his handchief &
wipe 2 ears & 1 nose before perus-
ing onwards.

"About a week of yore a taffy-
looking gentleman wearing grey
spits on his shoes make jing-jing
to my doorbell. I observe him with
smiles, thinking maybe he were
merely a health inspector.

"Hon. Dear sir," he commence.
"I are J. Montague Hogg of Hogg
& Woll, Real Estaters."

"Come in and stand up," I nar-
rate with tense kindness.

"Can just stay 4 minutes," he
berate, "because I are very busy
this morning, throwing honest Ital-
ian families into the street. You
have nice apartment here, Mr.
Jumbo," he continue with sweetly
smiling.

"We admire it," I say so—and
this were a very sinful mistake for
me.

"How many persons reside here,
if any?" he wish.

"3," I relapse.

"All adults?" he ask it.

"One (1) adult," I describe.
"and two (2) adulnesses—my Wife
& Motherenlaw."

"Your lease has commenced to
die," he report. "And how would
you like me to give you a sweet
new one?"

"O thanks so many!" I reprise.

"Very satisfactory," say him.
Then I are willing to let you re-
main in this palace one (1), yr.
longer by merely doubling the rent.
After that, who knows what?
Please sign on the dotted line."

Togo," say, Jumbo Fatomato

with exhaustion, "I were complete-
ly gabberfated to see that lawful
looking paper he held in his so-
ciety glove. How I wish my Wife
and Motherenlaw was home to pro-
tect me from that horrid man!
Yet I could do nothing very idly.

"Hon. Hogg," I peruse. "This
apt. are rommy enough for me, if
I sleep in Parlor with my feet in
Dinning Room. Yet for the en-
larged rent you request you would
think I was hiring the Grand Cen-
tral Station."

"Shux!" report Hon. Hogg.
"Have you not everything that
heart could require? Have you
not an electric light, including hot
water every other Satdy? Yes
moreover! Have you not a bath
tub to keep yr. coal and wood in
whenever there is a Fool Short-
age?"

"I Grant you those." This from
me. "Yet I declare with all the
stubbornness of my teeth, Hon.
Hogg, I cannot rest here while
thinking of that rent you got the
nervousness to ask me."

"You have said an eye full," he
didcate. "And since you are de-
termined not to rest here, I think
I know how you shall obtain your
wish."

"With those brife promises he
heeled away," say Fatomato in-
furiously. "And now I shall tell
you the next chapter. Last Satdy
night when I was at a fist-hitting
match, learning how to strike be-
low the stummick without being

caught, I come home very happy.
But what then?"

Jumbo Fatomato wipe the fever
from his head before speaking.

"Scarcely I got to the befront
of my Apt. House when I seen
what I saw. There was my sacred
bureau, my chandelier, my portrait
of Hon. Grantland Rice, my can-
nery bird, my life-size bed & etc
all piled in jumbles on sidewalk!
I could not believe my sensuality!
On top of those was my wife and
Motherenlaw.

"We are dishpossessed," they
narrate, with weeping. "And now
where shall we find sufficient home
to live on with money we ain't got?
We are out without a roof over our
hair."

"Be comfortable," I establish.
"In this enlarged city there are
plenty of roofs."

"Find a good cheap one imme-
diately," they clabber. So there I
was."

After this reproach Jumbo Fato-
mato spill 13 uts. tears.

"Have you not yet found a place
on which to rest your stummick?"
I ask to know.

"Not as ever," he burst. "For
two (2) weeks I have stroled from
places to places, ringing doors till
my thumb is soar. Everywhere I
ask the same reply, 'Please you got
apt. for small family, one adult
& 2 adulnesses?' I negotiate. 'We
got a 1 room flat, price 20.000\$ a
yr., but it is rented for 16 yrs.'
they corrode bruttaly. '20.000\$ are

too much," I belabor. "Nachtily,
they obtrude, 'if we did not ask
too much we would go into sum-
other variety of highwayman-
ship.'"

After that Hon. Jumbo could no
say more because of chokes.

"Where has become of your Wife
& Motherenlaw?" are next ques-
tion for me.

"My Wife have gone to Chatk
talkwa to lecture on poverty," he
glub. "My Motherenlaw are run-
ning a hospitall for sick birds. My
furniture are now resting in Cole
Storage Warehouse. This leav
everybody comfortable except me.
I can eat plentifully. Yes, I ca
smoke sufficiently also. Drinking
can enjoy among boot-liquors. B
where to sleep? Ah, Togo, whet
indeedly. I have tried everywhere.
Even hotels are too full to ge
me in."

"I know what!" This from m
with brife face.

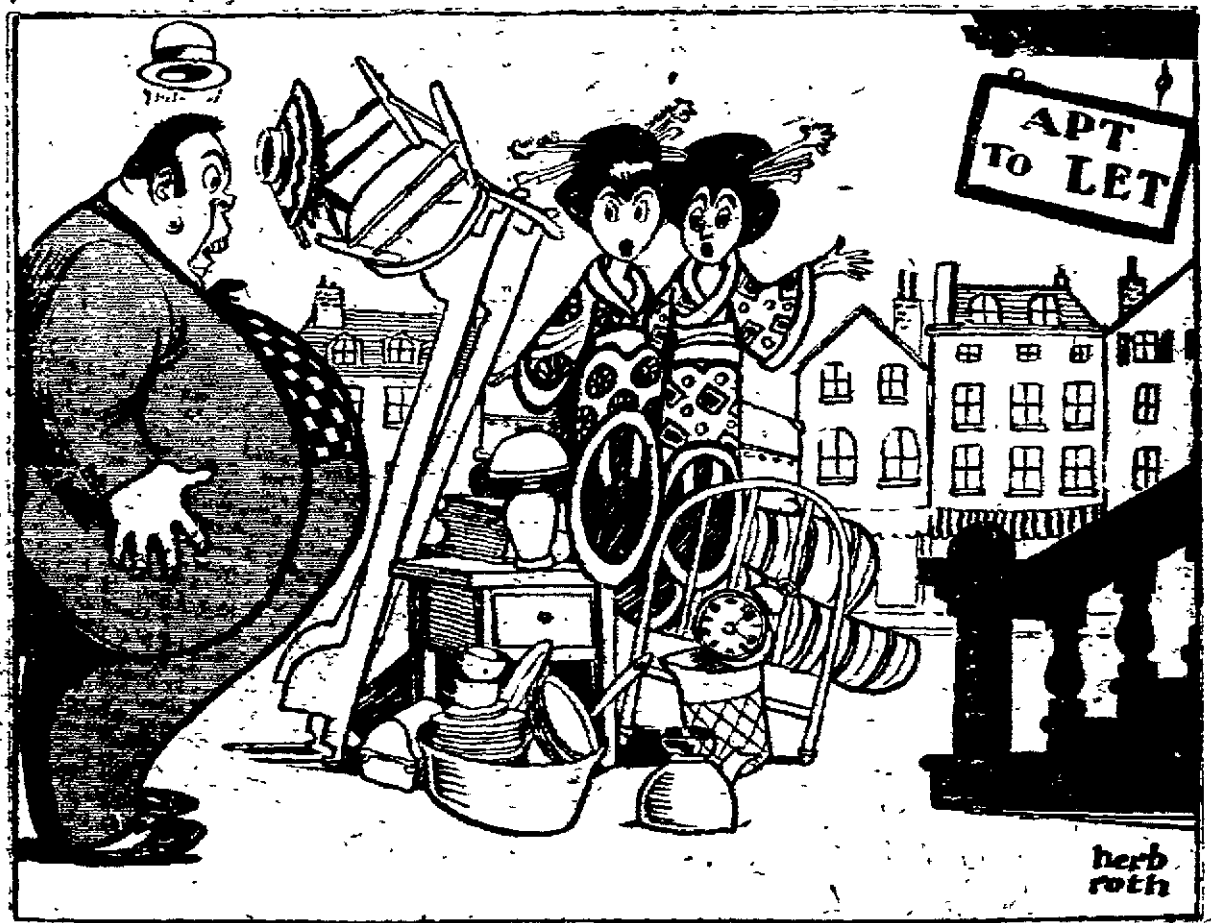
"I are wide open to snugge-
tions," he dib.

"Well then!" I bang. "Why C
you not go to Warehouse wher
your furniture is. There you coul
put yourself in storage and be
happy till Rent comes down,
ever."

Without so much as thankir
me, he walkaway looking like to
much straw.

Hoping you are the same
Your truly

HASHIMURA TOGA.
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"We are dishpossessed they narrate with weeping."

A MEGALOSAURUS ON ICE

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him a familiar slap on the scaly
sides. "You're worth a round mil-
lion to me, Mr. Megalosaurus!"

Without entering into tedious
detail, suffice to say that we put
additional ropes on the monster,
tying his feet fore and aft and
rendering him helpless. After
which we turned our attention to
the ship and found the hold half
full of water. We pumped her out
and took the position of the sun
and tried to figure our latitude. We
knew that the storm had blown us
out of our course, but how much
we did not know. To our surprise,
the figures showed that we had
been blown back nearly the whole
distance we had covered, and were
less than ten miles from the Cali-
fornia coast. Being out of food
and in a leaky vessel, we decided to
turn back and go to San Francisco.
Abner said he thought the Meg-
alosaurus would weather the cli-
mate, now that it was brought to
life; and we could exhibit the won-
der in San Francisco and astonish
the natives.

We docked at the wharf whence
we had sailed. As soon as the
Marigould was made secure three
hungry men left the ship and
hunted for a restaurant. Our ap-
petites satisfied, we returned to
the vessel. Abner painted a sign
on a board and stuck it on a pole
on the wharf. It read: "A LIVE
MEGALOSAURUS on Exhibition!
The only one of its kind in the
world. 10c admission."

A bunch of sailors were pass-
ing and noticed the sign. They
each paid a dime and came aboard.
Abner stood up like a veteran
showman and spouted: "This,
gentlemen, is a pre-historic ani-
mal resurrected from a frozen state

and made alive again after millions
of years. This creature lived be-
fore man. It is a great achieve-
ment, and makes ordinary scien-
tific performances look like the
proverbial 30 cents. I am not
boasting, gentlemen, but I must
say that I am the only living man
who can bring a frozen megalosau-
rus to life. Of course my name
will go down in history as a bene-
factor to mankind, but I am not
proud."

"Hey, there!" shouted an offi-
cial looking man coming on deck
in company with two other men.
"Mr. Showman, I want to see you
a moment—please step this way."

Abner walked over to the party
speaking, and said as short as
pneumonia: "What do you want?"

"I am sent here," replied the
man, to serve papers on Abner
Weed and arrest him for stealing a
ship and cargo. I hope you will
make no resistance, sir."

"Well, isn't this rather sudden?"
quoth Abner with an innocent
baby expression.

"We've been looking for you
ever since you got away with the
ship ten days ago. These gentle-
men are the owners, and you can
talk with them, if you want to set-
tle without arrest," said the of-
ficer.

"The owners!" snorted Abner,
blowing like a porpoise. "I'm the
owner of the Marigould! I bought
the ship and I can prove it!"

"Oh, yes, the Marigould. That
may be, she lies over in the next
dock, and appears to be deserted.
But this ship is the Maria Gould,
and had just made a trip from the
African coast, bringing a live croco-
dile for a local menagerie. Some-
time during the early morning of
the 17th, while the crew was ashore
on a spree, the ship was taken

from her berth, and only returned
this day. You, sir, are found
possession, and we must arre-
st you, unless you can make satis-
factory restoration to the owner."

Abner thought a moment, a
softly lisped: "It is just possib-
officer, that we did make a m-
take, in the haste of getting off
the early morning before it w-
light. I thought we were on t-
right ship, and I read the na-
on the stern, but as Marigould an-
Maria Gould look something all
it is just possible—"

"We'll settle with you for \$50,
said one of the owners.

Abner pulled up a big wall-
papered off some notes and hand-
ed the man, after which the owner
took possession, and Abner, m-
self and the Dutchman sneak-
ashore and walked over to
adjacent wharf, where a vessel
tied up, and we read the na-
"Marigould" from San Francis-
We went aboard and found the s-
deserted. Abner went down
ladder and looked at the meg-
alosaurus frozen in the ice. It
still there, but the ice was m-
ing.

"Nice day, Abner," I jollied.
"Shut up," says Abner, savag-
adding. "If you ever let this be
out I'll have you shanghaied."

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Aloneness - *Fannie Hurst*

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Not to be able to enjoy one's own company at times is to be an Exile from those flower-lit meadows of self; an outcast from the secret chambers of the heart

HOW frequently one hears it said, "I do not like to walk alone because I do not enjoy my own company." Or, "It depresses me to be alone."

What a SELF-INDICTMENT!

Of course HUMAN TIES are the cords that hold the world together. After all, we live, and pluck our eyebrows and wear stiff collars and write books and give garden parties for each other. HUMAN TIES are the motive behind pretty much all that we do. But there comes that moment when even the closest of human ties cannot rise above the "ALONENESS" of the individual.

There is something rather stark and strangely beautiful about this ALONENESS of every human being. It is his

very own. Something he cannot impart to anyone else. Himself. The aristocracy of isolation. The aloneness which he brings into the world and which he takes out of it. We are BORN ALONE. We DIE ALONE.

To be alone is not necessarily to be lonely, although that is the inevitable plight of the individual who confesses that he cannot endure his own company.

The individual! That is a splendid word in itself. The peculiar integrity of being an individual. He travels sometimes in crowds of hundreds, lives in communities of thousands, hundreds of thousands, millions, despite our readiness to become standardized, to think in herds and to act in mobs; to wander away from the voice of the inner consciousness and lend an ear to just the humdrum of everyday life.

To be afraid of one's own company is to be a stranger to one's self. And even the most commonplace and unimaginative of us is endowed with a secret store of fragile, innermost thoughts that are too delicate to bear utterance to even those nearest and dearest. The slender unexpressed thoughts that seem almost to come "trailing clouds of glory . . . from God, who is our home." And all of us have our sacred patches, upon which there is NO TRESPASSING.

Do you like TO BE ALONE or does it depress you when you are forced on your own company?

Human Ties are the motive behind most of the things we do. But our ALONENESS is the thing that nobody can take from us. It is our own. We are born alone, we die alone, and no matter how crowded the road we follow, we walk alone through Life.

If you cannot sometimes enjoy being alone you are an EXILE and an OUTCAST. Learn to listen to the hidden song which only you can hear.

Our aloneness is the one thing on earth which we cannot share.

No to be able to enjoy one's own company at times is to be an EXILE from those flower-lit meadows of self; an OUTCAST from the secret chambers of the heart.

Every human being requires his moments of ESCAPE FROM REALITY.

Coney Island and Maine fishing trips and art galleries and theaters are some of the avenues of man's relief from reality.

Then there are the lanes of fancy that run through the hearts of the most worldly of us and to which there is no charge for admission. The colored troubles of fancy that you would blush to utter even to your nearest and dearest. All those UNSUNG SONGS deep down within yourself that you are free to sing silently and away from the fear of

critical ears. The spangled, joyous thought that you would never dare to utter in a world of Wall Street brokers, longshoremen, Ziegfeld beauties and tired housewives.

When they do find utterance, and some one is able to express them out of their formless state, then we have a genius. A FANATIC. A POET. Explorer. Bridgebuilder. Scientist.

But most of us must be content just to roam the pleasantly hazy roads in this land of half-born fancies.

Dante compared the HIDDEN SONG running through most of us to one of those mysterious underground rivers that never reach the surface.

The RETREAT within one's self is like owning a beautiful country home far from the eyes and ears and knowledge of the maddening crowd. An estate or mansion or cottage, as you will. Of secret gardens, hidden chambers of fancy, GROTTOS OF THE SPIRIT.

Oh, there is a strange stark beauty in our aloneness. An aloneness which we share with everyone and yet SHARE WITH NO ONE.

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FOR ALL THE
GIRLS & BOYS

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EVELYN AG.
(Age 11 years.)

MARY AND THE MEAN ANIMALS.

Once upon a time there was a little girl named Mary. Mary was going to the show one beautiful Sunday. Before she got to the show she had to go through the woods. In the woods there was all kinds of mean animals. While Mary was going through the woods a wolf ran after her. But he could not catch her. Mary was almost to the show when she met her mother, and afterwards she always waited for her mother.

EVELYN AGUIRRE.

MARION WILKIE.

("Joy" Age 13.)

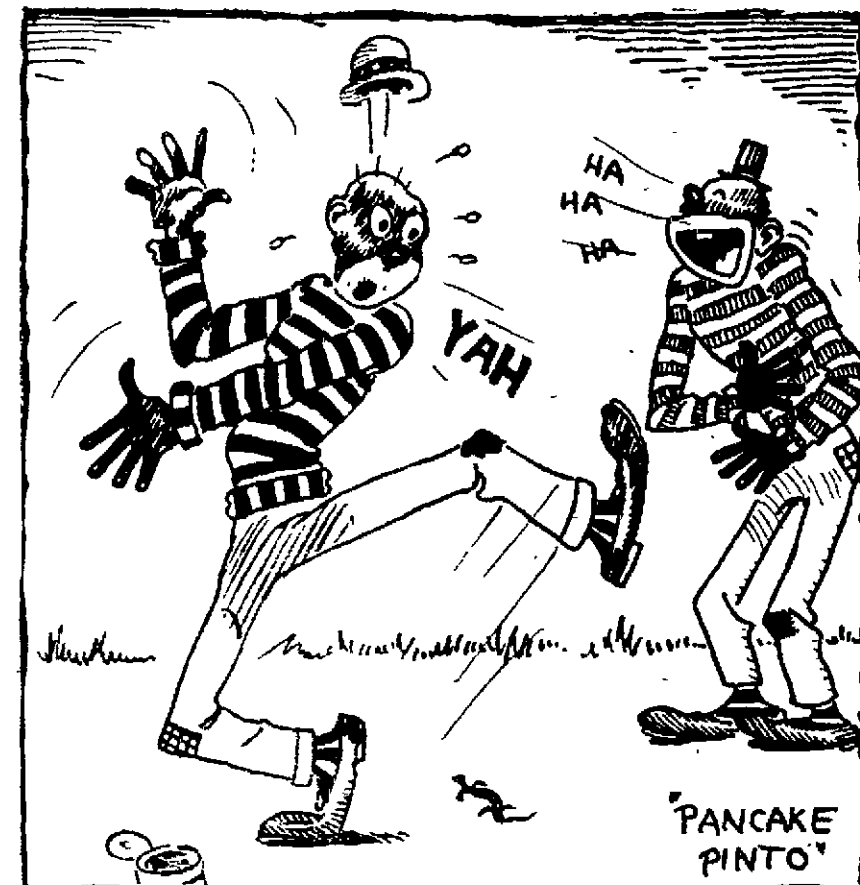
BETTY AND BILLY'S ADVENTURES IN THE BOX.

"I don't want to, Billy. I am afraid," said Betty as Billy, her 6-year-old brother, was begging her to come with him and explore the house next door. Betty was afraid to go without mama and papa, as Betty was only 4 years old.

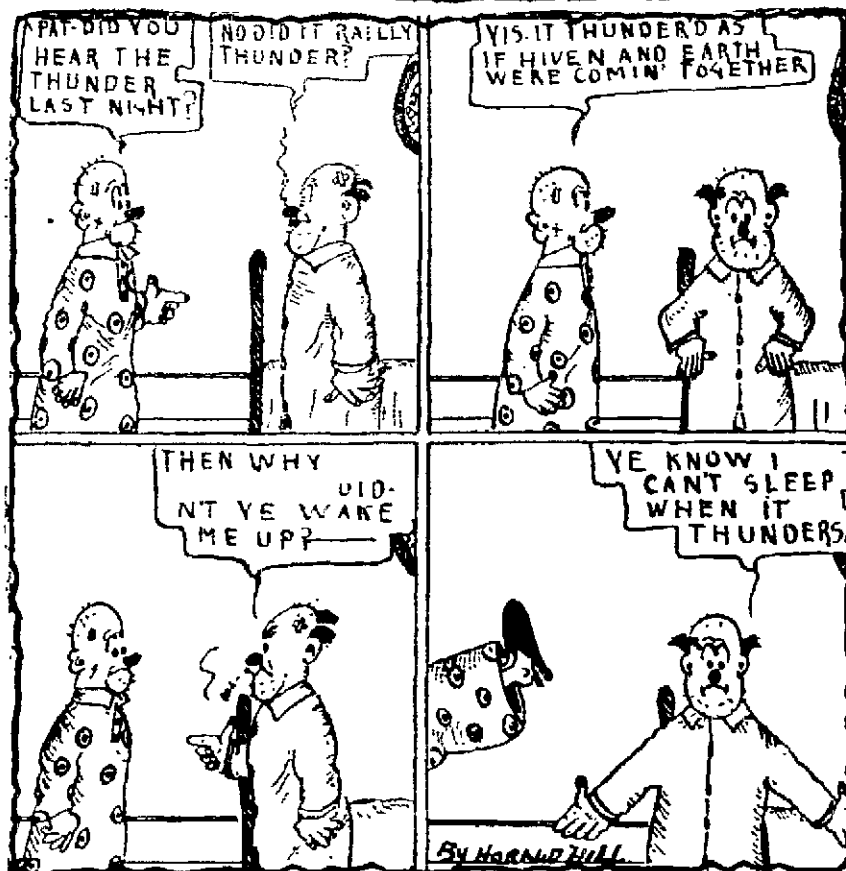
But she knew Billy; if he made up his mind to do a thing he would, so she gave in. The house had been vacant ever since Betty was born. It was a two-story house with all the windows broken and grass all around.

Betty made Billy go in first. He did and they walked around, and then Betty said, "Billy, dear, let's go. I am so afraid. I hear awful funny noises. Come, Billy, let's go!" But Billy said he wasn't afraid, as he was going to find an adventure.

Then Billy saw a great big box with a ladder up the side. Billy said, "Come, Betty. I bet there is money in here." Betty said she wasn't going to be afraid any more, as her brother would



PANCAKE
PINTO



By HAROLD HILL

look out for him, too.

They both got in the box, and the cover went SLAM! Then the bottom dropped out and they both went down a slide. Betty was crying and through her tears she said, "Billy, I don't think we are ever going to stop and I was good all day, too." Finally they touched bottom and there were lots of red lights and a little pile of sand and a great big puddle of water. Billy said he was going to try to climb back up the big slide, but it was impossible, as he just slid back again.

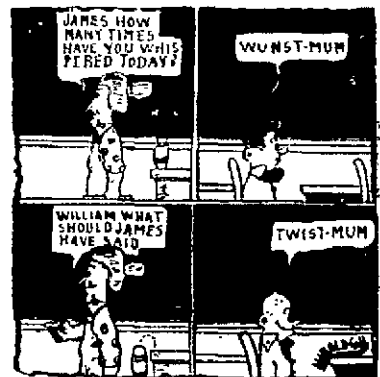
In the meantime their mother was just about ready for supper and she went out to call the chil-

dren to come and wash, but her call was in vain, as there was no answer. So then she called her husband. He could not find them. Then the police were notified. The first thing they did was to search the hills all Sunday night and the morning of Monday. Betty and Billy were lost on a Sunday afternoon.

Then the head of police said, "Have you searched this vacant house?" Mr. and Mrs. Mager answered, "No."

Immediately Mr. Fisher, who was the captain of that force, told his men to search that house thoroughly. One of the men,

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CHUCK MORRELL
(12 Years)

A GOAT'S WISDOM.

I have a goat named Bird. When she was little she used to run all around the place and get into mischief.

One day when mother was sick the goat went over to the hammock and put her feet up on it. Mama pulled her over in the hammock and let her lie there. She liked it so well that the next day when the hammock was empty she tried to get in. Every time she would put her front feet in and jump in the hammock would turn over and spilled her out. She tried several times and got spilled out each time. At last she found she could get in without turning over by carefully crawling into it.

And she would lie there for hours and sleep. When we wanted the hammock we had to shake her out.

One day when she was getting in her front feet hit a tree. Her weight made the hammock swing and in that way she learned to swing the hammock.

CHARLES MORRELL,
(Better known as Chuck.)

JUANITA MIESER.

(Fairy Queen.)

PRINCESS BEAUTIFUL.

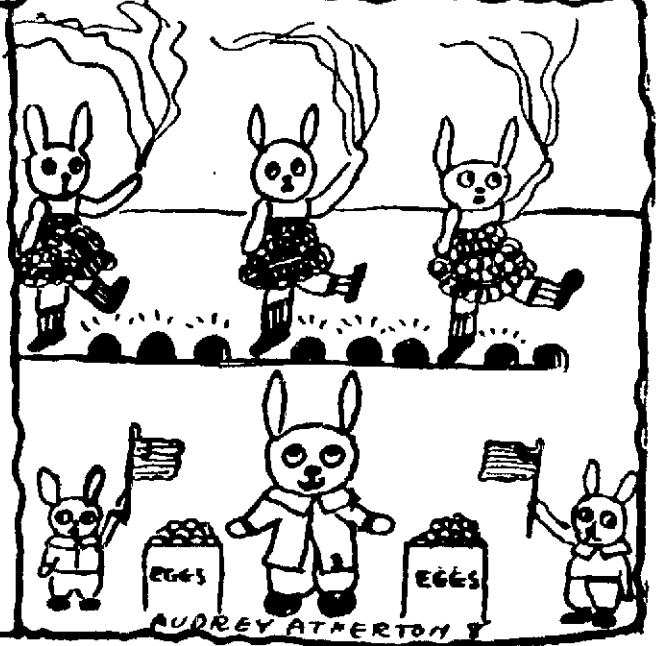
Once upon a time there lived a King and Queen. The Queen was always wishing for a baby. One day a little Princess was born. She had blue eyes, rosy cheeks, blond hair. (It was curly hair.)

All the rich people were invited to her party. The fairy godmother came too. They gave her wonderful presents. The fairy godmother gave her a lovely golden necklace.

When she was fifteen years of age, she was allowed to walk in the garden at night alone.

There was some robbers in the

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whose name was Smith, said, "I bet they are in this box. He walked up the ladder and looked in the box; the floor was out. The force then decided that they would prepare and start in the morning and go down there. But Mr. and Mrs. Mager insisted on Monday night.

They prepared and started down the slide about 2 o'clock Tuesday morning. They took shovels, picks and spades to dig out with if necessary, matches for light, and Mrs. Mager packed a little lunch, and gave the men a jug of water, for she knew it would be nice if they were found to be able to eat before coming up.

Mrs. Mager bade the men goodbye and good luck. Then they were off.

When they reached bottom Betty was unconscious from fright and Billy was barely moving. Billy recognized Mr. Fisher, and ran to him, though he was very unsteady on his feet.

Mr. Fisher gave him some water and food; then Billy felt much better and happier.

Mr. Fisher ordered Mr. Smith to put nails in his shoes and go back up the slide and then throw a long, long rope, and he would tie Billy securely and send him up, while he would try and bring Betty too.

It was 5 o'clock before the rope came dangling down with the following note:

Capt.: Mrs. Mager is very happy but nervous. Send the boy quickly for evidence. SMITH.

Captain Fisher tied Billy and gave two yanks on the rope to let Smith know to begin to pull. It was a good half hour before Billy was up to the top.

Mrs. Mager kissed him and put him to bed immediately. He was soon sound asleep.

There were only five men besides Mr. Fisher and Mr. Smith. Three of these men were ordered to the top. Then the rest put Betty on the rope, but went up with her, as she was unconscious.

At 8 o'clock Betty regained consciousness, with a doctor at her side. The next Sunday Betty said, "Muddi, I told Billy not too, but he just wouldn't mind."

Billy said he was satisfied, for he had had an adventure.

But that Sunday he did not want to explore, but played with Betty and "Pep," their pet Airedale dog.

MARION WILKIE.
JOY."

LA VON STINSON. THE DISAPPEARANCE OF PRINCESS.

Once upon a time there lived a King and Queen. They were very unhappy because they didn't have any children. One day everybody was excited. The Queen had a baby daughter. They named her Princess Eloise. She grew to be very beautiful. One day she was kidnapped. The King and Queen were very unhappy because they loved her dearly. Now it happened that she had a sweetheart named Prince Charming. He was very handsome. So he thought he would try his luck. He was walking in the mountains when he saw a cave. He went in and saw a door marked S. He went in and saw snakes. He shut the door and saw another door marked P. He went in and saw prisoners. He untied them. Just as he and the prisoners were going out they heard footsteps. He went to get



his gun but he had left it at home. But he saw one on the floor and it was loaded. So they all hid. And in walked Big Jim and his gang. He jumped out of his hiding place and said "Hands up!" They were quite surprised but they put up their hands and they tied them up and began searching for the Princess. All of a sudden they heard sobs and cries. He went in and saw her tied up, so he untied her. And he took Big Jim and his gang to the police station. They were put in prison for life. Prince Charming got \$1000 reward and Prince Charming and Princess Eloise were married. They had a baby daughter and they named her Eloise after her mother.

LA VON STINSON.

MARIAN SMITH. "SNOODLES." An Adventure.

Once there was a little boy who had a twin sister. They lived near New York. Their cousins, Dorothy and Dan, who were also twins, were coming to visit them.

Barbara and Bob lived by a forest. In the forest there was a large hill with a cross on the top of it. They planned to hike up the hill and take their lunches when their cousins came.

They started up the hill early in the morning and reached the cross about noon. They ate their lunch and were picking flowers when Dorothy called, "Come here, quick!" They ran to where she was and saw a big rock.

"There's a button here," said Dorothy. "Let's press it."

She pressed it and the rock slid away. There was a passage going down into a cave. They started down the passage. Bob lit a match and saw a lantern on a shelf. They lit it and took it with them. At the end of the passage there was a door, beyond which they heard voices.

They were speaking Spanish, but Bob, who spoke Spanish, could understand them. This is what they said: "He's a rich guy an' if we kidnap his daughter he'll be so

crazy with fear for her that he'll give anything to get her back."

Then another voice said, "Me and Spike 'll get her tonight. Where did you say he lived?"

"328 Santa Clara street" was the answer.

The children knew the "rich guy" and hastened to warn him.

That night when the two kidnappers came they were surprised to find five policemen awaiting them. They told where the rest of the men were hiding, and the twins got \$5000 reward.

MARIAN SMITH.

EVELYN LEAKE. (Age 10 years.) WINTER.

1. A dear little robin once sat on a tree

(The snow lay quite thick on the track),

And the sweet little pet was as bright as could be.

"I must just make the best of the weather," though he,

"For I know that sweet spring will come back.

2. "I am hungry, of course, and would like a few crumbs;

Oh, wouldn't I think them so good!

But I know very well when the little girl comes,

Who sits at that window and works with her sums,

She will throw me some morsels of food.

3. "Ah, here comes the dear little maid! In her hand

She carries a dish full of crumbs.

I'm sure she's the best little girl in the land,

And I hope she may always have crumbs to command

To feed us when cold winter comes!"

EVELYN LEAKE.

GEORGETTE DERIGHT. (Age 10 years.) THE BLACK LETTER.

Once upon a time there lived a very rich man. His name was M. Brown. One day he received a black letter which read, "Bring



DOROTHY MACDONALD
AGE 9



\$500 to the big oak tree in the woods or we will kill you." So Mr. Brown took some detectives with him. After they had waited a long time an old woman came by with a wheelbarrowful of wood. The old woman was a crook dressed up as an old woman. Mr. Brown asked the old woman what she was doing in the woods. "Oh, I am just getting some wood to warm my children and me. In the bottom of the wheelbarrow was another crook. There was a hole in the bottom to put his hand and get the money. The lady had the wheelbarrow over the money, so the other crook took the money and placed another bagful of rocks. After a while Mr. Brown got tired, so they went home. When they got home they opened the bag; it was full of rocks. And the crooks were never caught.

GEORGETTE DERIGHT.

DOROTHY WOOD. (10 years.) A SELFISH GIRL.

Once there was a little girl whose name was Bebe. Bebe was 9 years old, and her ninth birthday was made unhappy, and I will tell you how it was made unhappy. Well, the day before Bebe went to a park and won a prize playing Kippins. The prize was a doll.

The next day Bebe went out to play with the children and the girls said, "Let us play with your doll." "Play with my doll!" she said; "of course not. The doll is mine and no one shall play with it."

The next day the girls bought a bag of candy, and Bebe said, "May I have a piece?" "No!" they said. "You couldn't let us play with your doll, so you cannot have our candy."

After that Bebe let children play with her things and she played with theirs, and never was selfish again.

DOROTHY WOOD.

EDITH JOHNSON.

Once upon a time there was a little girl and her name was Doris. She was a very pretty girl. She had curly hair, rosy cheeks and blue eyes. She lived with her father and mother in the woods in a neat hut. She had a whole lot of fun in the woods. One day she asked her mother if she could take her lunch and go out in the woods. Her mother said yes. So she went out and had a whole lot of fun. It became dark and she had to go home. She told her mother of the fun she had. And before she knew it, it was time to go to bed. So that ends my story.

EDITH JOHNSON.

MARION GODFREY. THE THREE ADVENTUROUS GIRLS.

It was the night before Christmas. Jane, Marie and Grace all hung up their stockings, hoping that Santa would fill them full. These girls were all good girls, so Santa didn't forget them.

The next morning when they

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looked in their stockings and found them full of candy and nuts. They went into the bedroom to give their mother and father some of the candy and nuts but they were not there. They searched the house but they could not find them. I forgot to tell you that these three girls were triplets. They also were very adventurous. These girls were 13 years old.

Jane said, "Where is mother and father? The first thing we must do is to look for them."

They started out and went about three miles when they saw a cave. In this cave were four doors. They were numbered A, B, C and D. On door number B a sign said "BEWARE" which said "KEEP OUT!" On door number B a sign said "PE-WARE" On door number C a sign said "DANGER" On door number D a sign said "PRIVATE!" They went into the door where it

said "DANGER" and they saw their mother and father tied up. They untied them and their father said, "Take the sign on the shelf and press the button." They pressed the button and saw One Toothed Pete. They had him up, tied him and took him to the police station. They got \$5000 reward for the capture of One Toothed Pete. They went home and spent the rest of their lives happily.

MARION GOLDBRILY

ROSIE CATANIA
(10 years)

THE GOLDEN BUTTERCUP

On the night before Christmas there was a little naughty boy whose name was Albert, and he did not want to do what his parents told him to do. So that night his father gave him a penny because he only had that and was very poor. Albert began to cry because he wanted more money. So he went to the window and threw it away and then went to bed, sad.

In the morning he arose from bed and then he went to the window and guess what he saw? A beautiful golden buttercup. He looked in and saw two shining dollars. He brought it home and showed it to his mother. His mother was surprised to see the two shining dollars. Albert's mother said, "Are you satisfied now with those dollars?" Albert said, "Yes, but I won't be naughty no more." So that was his Christmas gift.

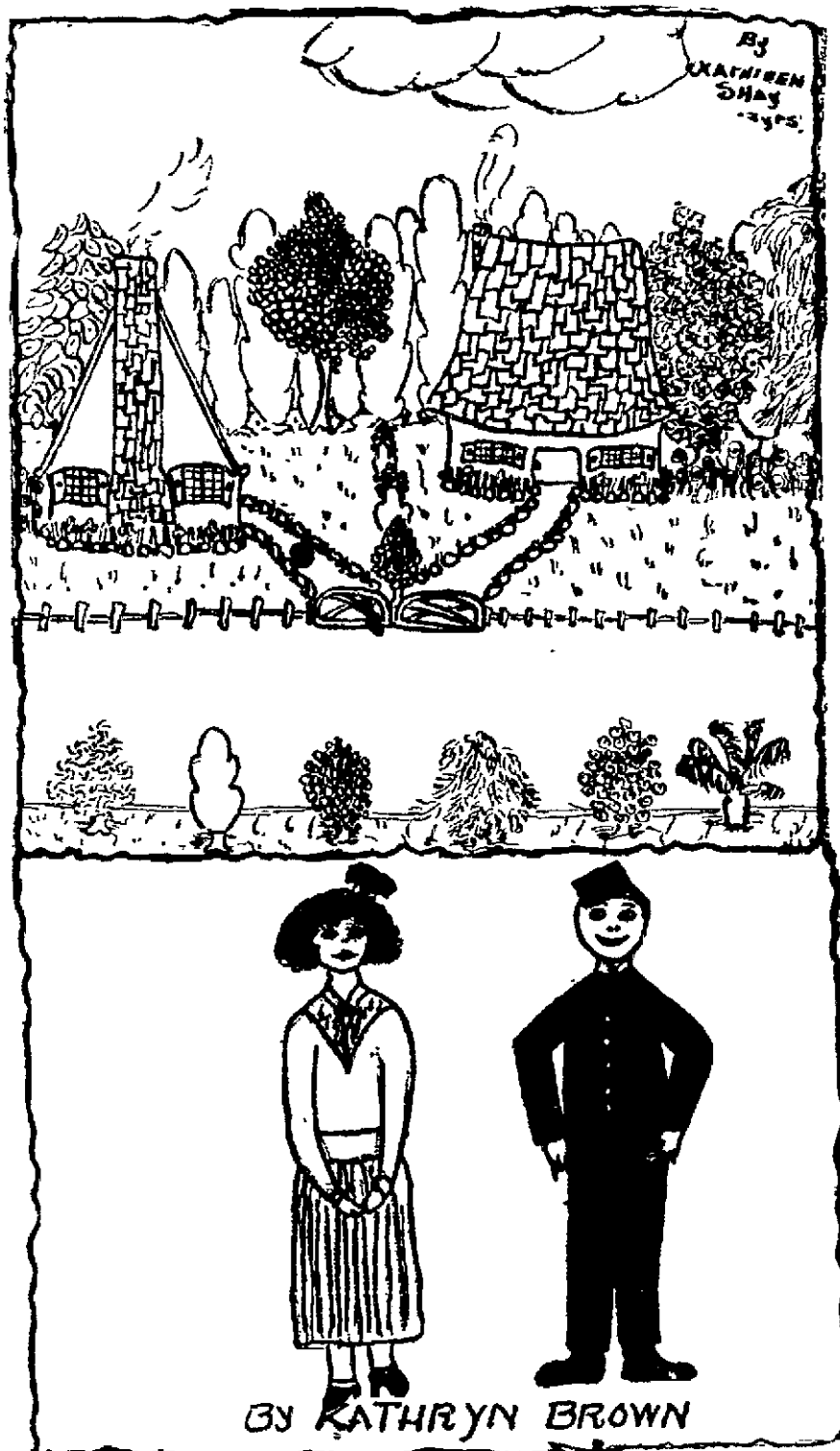
ROSIE CATANIA

GLADYS BROADIE THE BOY THAT CHANGED TWICE

Once there was a boy who was always arrested in a robbery happened. The police kept on arresting him, so he said "I will be a real robber." He robbed banks and everything. So one night he was caught robbing a bank and he was taken to the police. He was asked to take the police to the cave where he hid his things. He did so without hesitation.

He was put in jail for life. But there was a girl who was deeply in love with him and she was rich. Her name was Vera. Brown. The boy's name was James Hunt when I forgot to tell you. James had had another cave where he hid his money and the things he stole, but he didn't tell the police.

Vera soon got James out of all



by paying a big bail. When James got out of jail he married Vera and changed to be a good man. James took the stolen things to Vera's home, but the fellow who was doing all the robberies before James became a robber was "Little Bill."

GLADYS BROADIE

FERN HILL
(10 years)

THE HAUNTED HOUSE

One long ago there lived a boy named Jack. He had a chum named Bill. There was a haunted house one mile away from their home. They said, "Let's go there tomorrow night." They asked their mother if they could go. Jack's mother said, "Yes." Bill's mother said, "I guess so." So they got some lunch ready. They started.

The next night at 9:30 they went upstairs and went to bed. At 11 o'clock Jack was awakened by a noise. He looked up and saw a ghost. He awoke Bill. Bill said, "What do you want?" Jack said, "I saw a ghost." They got up and dressed. They went downstairs. They saw the ghost. Jack said, "Hands up!" They took him to jail. He was a robber. Jack and Bill got \$500 each.

FERN HILL

HELENE WIEMKEN
(10 years)
PRINCESS EVA

Long, long ago there lived a king and queen who had an only daughter. Her name was Princess Eva. She was very beautiful. When she was 7 years old she was stolen by an old witch by the name of Slipery. Slipery took her to a beautiful castle in the far end of the forest. The queen was enchanted to a cat. The queen soon died of the loss of her child. The people were in despair.

Twelve years later a prince asked if he might try. The king said "If you rescue her, you will get half of the kingdom and also Princess Eva's hand in marriage." He thought that fair enough, so he was going to start the next morning.

The next morning he started out for the forest by himself with enough to eat for two days. At noon he was in the heart of the forest. He sat down to eat by a little brook. After he had finished he continued his journey. At sundown he was in sight of the castle. He went to sleep on a rock that night. He was awakened the next morning by some singing. He looked up and saw a cat. Soon the cat began to talk. All this time Slipery knew what would happen, so he took the cat and the prince to her castle. She put

the cat in the woodshed and the prince in a dungeon. The only air that got in was through the cracks in the wall.

The next day the cat came in with a pistol, saying, "Kill the first person that comes in here." In about ten minutes an old man came in and gave the prince some poisonous water to drink. The prince killed the man and found that the man was the witch disguised. As the prince looked up he saw the princess, so he took her home to her father, the king, who was dying. When he saw her, he told her about the promise and died happily. The next day we see the new king and queen ruling the land. They lived happily ever after. "INVISIBLE WITCH."

AUGUSTA MILLER

(10 years)

THE BOYS AND THE BOYS

I.
Tina, the toiler, tell in the boiler,
Some men pulled her out
And thought it would spoil her.
Two boys saw her going to school,
They thought won't it be nice to go to the pool.

II.

On the way to school
They saw a pool.
Bob said, "Won't it be nice
To watch the mice?"
They went to the pool
Instead of going to school.
Bob found some money,
And thought it was funny.
They just spent the dime,
And walked to a pine.
So they said it was nice to have it to spend,
And so is it nice to have it the end.

AUGUSTA MILLER

LILA EDWARDS

(11 years)

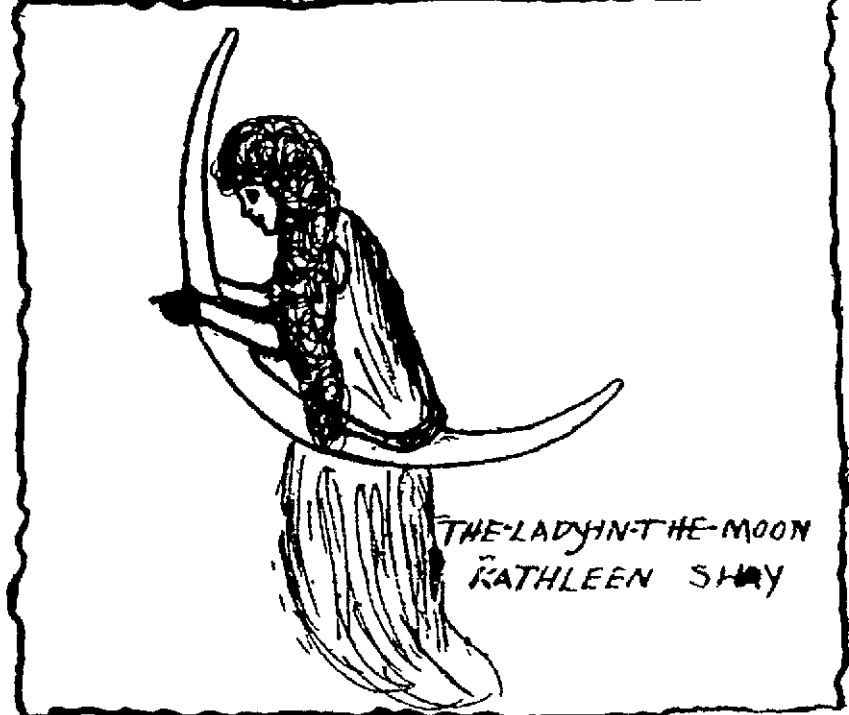
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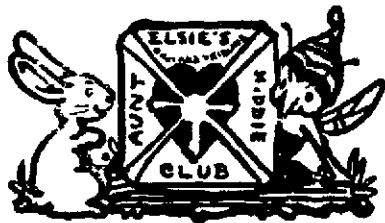
Once upon a time there were two boys whose names were Jack and Bill. They lived in a suburb near Riverside. One lived on Fifth Avenue and the haunted house was on Seventh Avenue.

One day Jack said to Bill, "Will you go with me to see the haunted house and we will take guns and swords?" But Bill was a bit afraid because he had never gone traveling, hunting or camping. He had always stayed on a farm and Jack had done all those things. So Bill said, "I will go. When are you going?" Jack answered, "Tomorrow." So they picked a lunch and started off at 7 o'clock in the morning.

They arrived at half past 9. Jack said, "I will go in first and

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"You come behind me." So they went in, and all of a sudden they heard something drop. "Oh! what is that?" said Bill. Jack said, "Sh! Sh!"

They tiptoed through the front room, into the dining room and into the kitchen. On! look at the ghosts, and what do you think—it was a wonderful surprise! The ghosts threw off their sheets and the ghosts were two boys and the dogs that Jack and Bill knew. Jack and Bill were astonished when they saw their two friends and dogs, and it happened to be Jack's birthday, and these two friends had the children for the party outside. They had the party in the basement and it was all decorated. They had candy, cake and ice cream. They danced and played games. These two friends' fathers gave them the money to pay for the party for Jack and Bill. At 10 o'clock at night they went home. They thanked the two friends and started on their way home.

FRANCES HOFFMAN.
THE BAD GIRL.

Once a girl asked her mother if she could go outside. It was night time. The girl's name was Alice. Her mother said no because she did not have a husband to stay with. The girl said to herself, "I will sneak out of the back door." She did as she said. As soon as she got out she went to her girl friends. They said they could not come out. Then Alice turned around sadly toward home.

As she was walking home a man grabbed her and took her into the hills. Alice was only 12 years then. Seven years passed. The man who had carried Alice away let her go home now. Alice was



17 years old. Alice ran home quickly. When she went in the house she found her mother lying on the floor dead. You bet Alice was sure sorry she did not mind her mother. So you better mind your mother.

FRANCES HOFFMAN

LOIS SCORBERG.
THE QUEEN OF FAIRYLAND.

Once upon a time there was a fairy whose name was Marywensgo. One day Marywensgo wished to be queen of the land because the queen that was ruling was very wicked and Marywensgo was very kind and everyone loved her. This made the queen very angry so she said without knowing what she was doing, "I shall have you wish granted at once," so Marywensgo was queen and every fairy in the kingdom was happy.

About a year passed and the old queen came to Marywensgo and said, "About a year has passed and I have asked for forgiveness and I promise to be good and kind if you will take me into your service." The queen being kind-hearted of course said "Yes," and so the old queen became a maid.

In fairyland no one ever dies so Marywensgo and the old queen lived happily until Marywensgo became old and gave up being queen.

LOIS SCORBERG

FRANCES SIGGILLIA.
(15 years)

THE OLD HERMIT

Once upon a time there lived an old hermit. A hermit is an old man who lives in a cabin in the woods. Now, this old man had a very beautiful daughter. Norma was the name of the hermit's daughter.

One day when Norma was taking her daily walk through the woods she came to an old, broken-down castle. It was becoming dark and she feared to go home lest she be eaten by wild animals. So she decided to spend the night in the castle. The next morning when she got up and went downstairs there was a table laden with all kinds of food. At the head of

the table sat an ugly frog, the master of the castle. When she sat down he came up to her and brought a sword and said "Chop off my head." But Norma did not want to but he begged so hard that at last she said she would. As soon as she said this she closed her eyes, as she did not want to see that awful sight.

In a little while she opened her eyes and there stood a handsome prince. He came forward and bowed at her feet. He said, "You have broken the spell that was cast upon me. Will you marry me?" "I will take you to my father's castle. There we will live and be happy ever after." So they got married. The prince brought her rather to live with him. They lived happily until the prince died.

FRANCES SIGGILLIA

BARBARA HOON.
(10 years)

THE SHADOW.

Once upon a time there was a girl named Jean. She had a brother named Bud. Now one day Jean was walking along the street and finally she came to an old house. She wondered who lived there. So she went up to the door and knocked. The door opened and all she saw was a shadow. She walked in and said "You lives here?" No one answered, so she started walking around the house. The shadow followed her.

At first she was frightened and called "Bud! Bud!" But when she found that Bud would not come she got down (as the house was nicely furnished) and started to cry. She found that crying would not help her any, so she got up and started to go home. When she got to the door she saw a shadow. She looked around hoping to see somebody, but when she did not see anybody she started to open the door but found it locked. She hit the door with her fist and hurt herself. She sat down and cried.

The sun was shining on her. She moved her arms. The shadow moved its arms. Then she saw that the shadow did the very same things that she did. When she moved the shadow moved. It was her own shadow that had frightened her so.

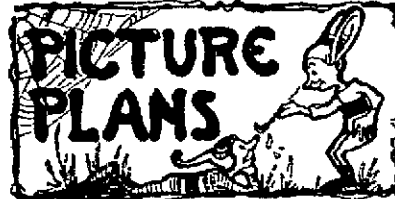
BARBARA HOON.

VIRGINIA SCHWARZER.
(YELLOW DOG BLUE)
CLINTON.

Once there was a boy named Clinton Smith. He lived with his mother and father in a small hut. His mother worked in a cannery. Although they were poor they treated Clinton very kindly and Mrs. Smith kept the hut neat.

One day Clinton asked Mrs. Smith if he could take a walk. His mother said yes. He then started walking down the street. A lady came up to him and said, "Is your name Clinton Smith?" Clinton said "yes." The lady said, "You are my lost son. Come with me." She took him to a limousine where a man was. She whispered a few things to him and they started off. They stopped in front of a big mansion and got out and went into it. As soon as they got in, the lady said to Clinton "Get upstairs away from our sight," and Clinton obeyed. He lived this way for a year. During the year he saved up \$10,000.

One day he planned to escape that night. So he went to his room and looked out of the window for a way to escape. He saw a pipe and was going to slide down it at 8 p.m. He pulled up his clothes and slid down the pipe and



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stole sortly out of the garden and ran to his old home. He gave his folks the money and they told the police. They captured the lady and man for kidnapping and gave Clinton \$5000 reward. They moved to a nice bungalow and Mrs. Smith got a new job and they lived happily to the end of their days.

YELLOW DOG BLUE

NELL AIKEN

(11 years)

LOST PEARLS.

There was once a rich lady who lived in a small town in Washington. There was a little girl that lived next door to her and she was very poor. The rich lady was sitting down the street. She had a pair of pearls on her neck. As she was walking down the street they came off her neck. She did not know it until she got home. The little girl that was poor saw the rich lady lost her pearls. She ran and picked them up. Then she ran in the house. She asked her sister what to do with them. Her sister said "Don't give them to the lady and we can sell them and get a lot of money." But the little girl said, "But the rich lady did not say we could have the pearls." The girl's sister said "Oh, we don't care." The little girl said, "These pearls are hers and she is going to get them and I am going over to her house and give them to her. With that she is gone.

She went and told the lady that she had seen her lost them. The lady said "Why did you take so long in bringing them to me?" "Oh," said the girl "my sister wanted me to sell them and get some money to get some new clothes." Well," said the lady, "I shall give you \$50 for bringing my pearls back to me and please tell your mother and sister to come over with you to dinner this evening."

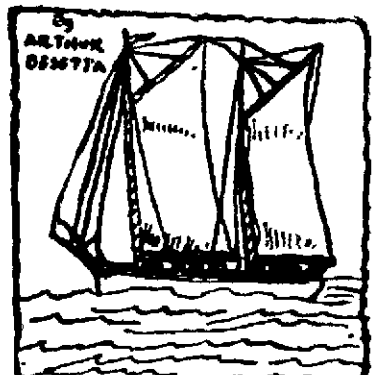
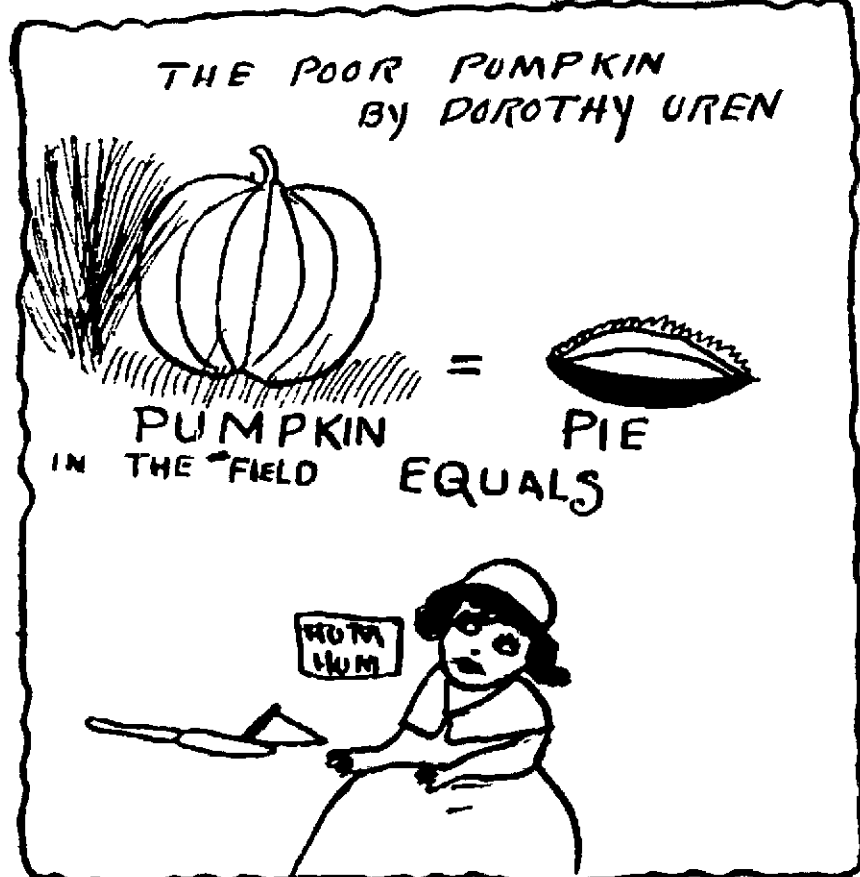
NELL AIKEN

AMELIA MOSQUE DO.

(Age 12 years)

Once upon a time there was a little girl who was 7 years old. Her name was Betty Brown. Now Betty had a stepmother who was very unkind to her. She wanted to get rid of Betty some way. One day she said to her "Let's go out and take a walk in the woods. When she got in the middle of the forest she said to Betty, "Stay right here and I'll be back soon." She waited a long time and still she did not come. She began to cry. She heard a sweet voice say, "Why are you crying dear child?" Betty answered, "I am here all alone in the forest and nobody to take care of me." "Come with me and I will take you to fairyland. There you will be happy. The fairy waved her wand and gave as a wink they got into fairyland. They lived happily ever after in fairyland.

PATSY





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city in which they lived. When the robbers heard of the Princess, the chief of the robbers said: Let's go to the garden tonight and when she comes by we will grab her. It was agreed to go there that night at eight o'clock.

It happened she was walking alone that night. The chief of the robbers stepped out and grabbed her. She yelled but nobody in the palace heard her. But the rest of the robbers did. They came from their hiding place and they all took her to a cave. They threw her in a little cubby hole. After a while she heard voices. One said: "Let's hold her for ransom."

Meanwhile the people in the palace were terrified. The next morning the King put up a sign which read as follows: WHO EVER FINDS THE PRINCESS SHALL HAVE HER HAND IN MARRIAGE. IF YOU TRY AND DO NOT SUCCEED YOU WILL BE BEHEADED.

Many Princes tried but did not succeed. One day a young Prince came and said he would like to try. The King was satisfied and consented. The King ordered the fastest horse in the barn. The Prince started right away. At midnight he was tired so he stopped at a cave which he thought was empty. He went in and saw a door which had a sign on it that said: "Blood and Bones." He went in and saw pools of blood and bones hanging up. He went out and saw another door that said "Human Beings." He went in and saw some young girls. He asked their names. Their names were Alice, Mary, Betty, and Princess Beautiful. He thought she must be the one he was looking for. So he said: "Come with me." (He meant all of them). They walked until they came to a door marked "Beware." They went in and they saw some robbers. Prince Bold said: "Hands Up!" and took them to jail. He got 5000 dollars reward and Princess Beautiful's hand in marriage. FAIRY QUEEN.

CLARENCE FREITAS.

(Age 10.)

THE INDIAN FIGHTER.

Just as Henry Ware stepped out of his canoe, a Shawnee warrior jumped on him. Henry swung his rifle, the Indian fell to the ground lifeless. Just as Henry hit this Indian, ten more jumped on him. Henry swung out right and left. Two Indians fell. Eight more! Henry took out his tomahawk and swung heavily. He killed three Indians. The rest fled into the woods. Henry picked up his rifle and started toward the Ohio river. He got his hidden canoe and went across. He heard footsteps behind. He swung his rifle and killed an Indian then ducked behind a rock. He saw a brown breast, he shot at it; it fell, then the fight began. It lasted an hour then the Indians charged but when he got to the rock Henry wasn't there. Then one Indian fell with a shot through him killing another. Then others fell with Henry's bullets and his brother's, who had come behind him. The Indians fled and Henry and his brother won the battle. Some days later as Henry was crossing the Ohio he was attacked by Indians on the shore. He saw a floating log, using it to protect himself and the boat.

He drifted down until the Indians went back. Then paddled up again. The next week he went to Boonsberg. He fell in love with the Boone's daughter. They were married soon after. Then they went to a peaceful place and lived happily ever after.

CLARENCE FREITAS.

RAE CHRISTIE.

(11 Years.)

THE MYSTERY OF A PEARL NECKLACE.

It was on the day of Jean's wedding, and all of her presents were out on the table. The present from her father was a string of pearls. Never had the world seen such a string of pearls. They were the largest pearls ever found and were worth a large sum of money.

The wedding was over and the people were dancing and looking at



her presents. After most of the people had gone home Jean went to get her pearls. She came back in great excitement. Her pearls were gone but the rest of the presents still remained in their places save for a diamond stick pin that her uncle had given her, it was gone.

Jean's father telephoned for a detective and they told the detective all the particulars. The detective was to be paid well if he secured the pearls.

About a year after the detective was in New York and as he was walking past a hock shop and in the window he saw one of the largest pearls that hung in the middle of the famous string of pearls. He went in and asked the proprietor where he got it. The proprietor said that a man came in and pawned it for \$25. The detective at last had a clue to work on.

The detective was called on a job in Chicago. While he was there he passed a pawn shop and saw the same proprietor in that pawn shop. He was pawning a lot of pearls. The detective went in and asked the proprietor where he got them. The proprietor said that they were pawned at his hock shop in New York. Later the detective asked the proprietor's friend where he was the night of the wedding. The proprietor's friend said that he was at the club but had left for home early. The proprietor was put to trial in court and was found guilty of stealing the pearls. He was wise, for he had sold a pearl to each pawnbroker that he knew about. The pearls were given back to the young bride. She was glad to get the pearls back. They had to be restored. The detective was given a large reward for his work and his name.

RICHARD MARTIN.

(Age 13.)

A JOKE.

An American show man, a voice thrower, got stranded in Germany. As he was walking on the country road he saw a German poodle dog lying on the side of the road, shivering with hunger and cold. He said: "Come, little fellow, with me, as misery likes company." The dog came tumbling along with him. Shortly after, they came to a German inn.

He had 5 cents left; the ginger ale was 5 cents and the sandwich was 5 cents. He thought he would have the ginger ale. He had the little dog in his arm. He said: "What will you have?" And he threw his voice to the dog, and the dog said: "I will take a ham sandwich." So the German innkeeper said: "If that dog says that again I will give you a sandwich and also the dog one. So the voice thrower threw his voice to the dog and said: "What will you have?" And the dog answered: "I will take a ham sandwich. So the innkeeper said: "I will give you fifty pounds for that dog, but the American said: "No, I won't sell the dog but I will let you keep the dog if you

"Human Wreckage!"



loan me fifty pounds." So the innkeeper gave him 50 pounds and as the American got to the door he threw his voice back to the dog and it said: "If you sell me for 50 pounds I will never speak another word."

RICHARD MARTIN.

CHESTER SMITH, THE ROBBER AND THE COBBLER.

I. A robber and a cobbler began to have a fight. The robber hit the cobbler with all his might.

II. And so it happened that the robber took a tumble. And his house began to rumble with all his might.

III. And so they fought and kicked with all their might. And the fight went on far into the night.

IV. The robber and the cobbler got so tired. They both went to bed.

V. Then the cobbler got up and hit the robber right on the head. He fell down and hid there stone dead.

CHESTER SMITH.

THEODORE ROZOLES.

(12 Years.)

(King Tut.)

THE RED MARK.

Dick! Dick! The cry rang out from an apartment house. People were running toward the apartment. Among these was a man named Dick Johnson. He ran upstairs, opened the door and there on the floor was an old man. Dick saw that he was dead. Upon his forehead there was written in red, "This, the Killer." Dick had seen this mark upon many people who were killed. His brother had been killed by the killer, which they called the man.

The next morning Dick saw a sign on the bulletin board in the sheriff's office. It read: "\$5000 reward for the capture of the Killer." Dick said that he would

try. He got a horse and a six-shooter and started out.

Dick had ridden for two days. At last he stopped at a shack for something to eat. He knocked at the door but nobody answered. So he opened the door and there beside a table were six gamblers. They were very drunk. Dick said: "Hands up!" They all turned around at Dick. The leader stepped forward with a glass of wine and said: "Hol stranger, put down your old gun and sit down with us!" but Dick said: "If any of you move one step, I'll shoot." While he was talking he did not notice a man sneak behind until it was too late. The man jumped upon his back, and the other man, seeing this, jumped on Dick. What chance had Dick against so many? But he did not give up. He fought like he had never fought before. Just as a man was going to hit him over the head with a club the sheriff appeared. They took them back to jail. They found that the leader was the Killer. Dick got the \$5000 and got married to the best girl in the world. He lived happily ever after.

THEODORE ROZOLES.

JAMES MELMOTH DOW.

Once upon a time there was a gang of robbers who lived on the hillside. One day the robbers kidnapped the king's daughter. The king and queen said that they would give one million dollars to the man who brought her back.

One day a boy 16 years old heard about the lost Princess and thought he would try to find her. One day, as he was walking down the road by the hillside, he heard someone say: "OPEN," and he saw a big rock roll back. He saw a man go in a door. He went over to the rock and said: "OPEN," and the rock rolled over and he went down the path. He went around the curve and saw a great door and on the door he saw BEWARE! in big silver letters. He shivered a little and wondered how he could get through. He saw a button and the door opened. He walked through and saw a door that said DANGER! He opened the door and saw a table with ten robbers sitting around it and he also saw the Princess. He took his pistol and yelled out "Hands up!" The robbers were so scared that they all fell on the floor. He took them to jail and the king and queen said that the Princess could marry the boy. JAMES MELMOTH DOW.

ANTHONY GIACONE.

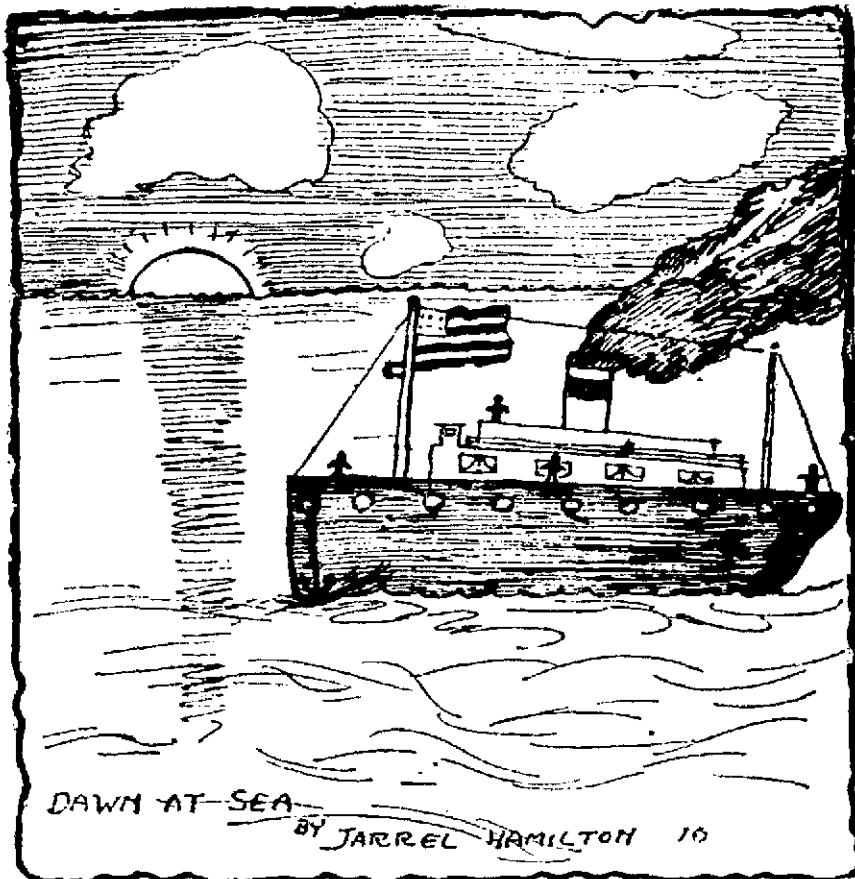
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A CANOE RACE.

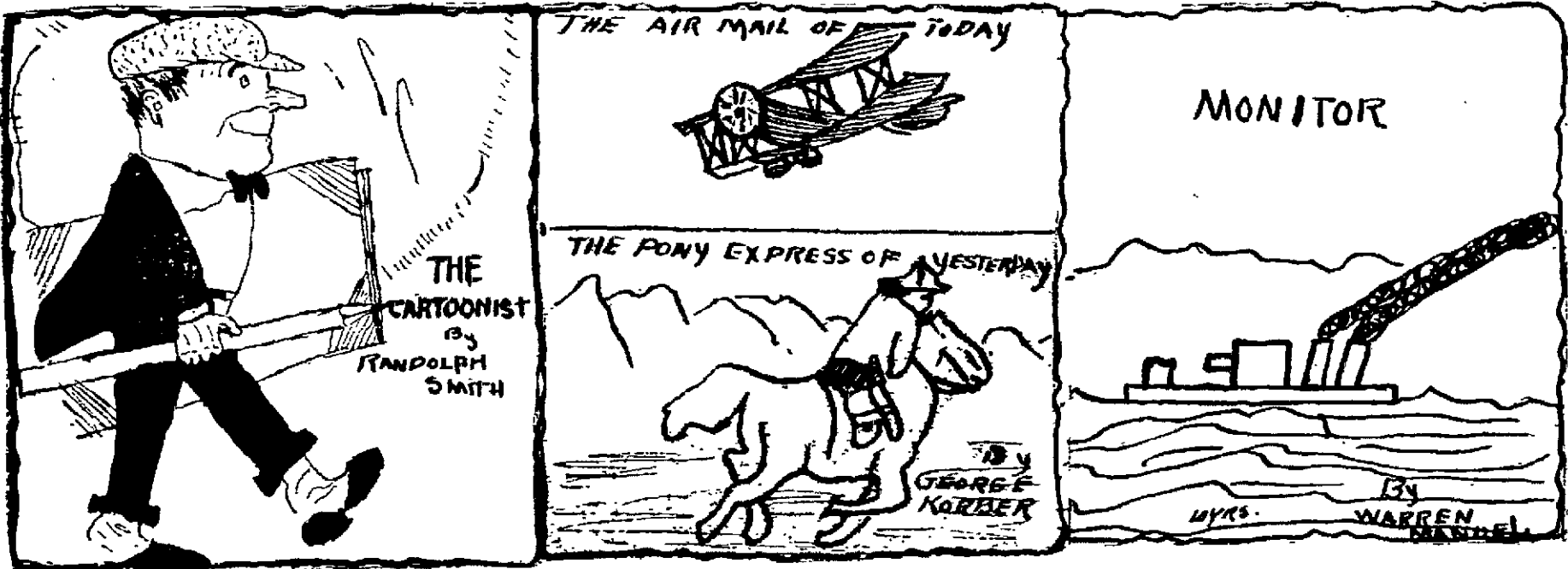
It was the Fourth of July in Honolulu. George awoke early, eager to be dressed and ready for the day's events. Instead the celebration was to be taken on the beach. There were to be canoe races, surf riding, diving and swimming matches. George was most interested in the canoe races. For some of the friends he had made since coming to Honolulu were to paddle in one of the canoes.

It seemed a very long morning, but luncheon was at last over and George, with his mother and father, was among the first to arrive at the beach. George went immediately to the boat house, where he found the boys busy getting the canoe in shape for the race. They showed him the outrigger, an arrangement at one side of the boat to balance it. They also showed him the paddles which looked like big, wooden spoons.

By this time the people had gathered. Some were sitting quietly watching the water. Many more, in



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their bathing suits, were amusing themselves in the water or practicing for the diving and swimming events.

It was 3 o'clock when the signal was given for the boys' races. The children, with their boats, waded out from shore to deep water; then, with a bound, sprang in the canoes, one in each boat to steer and five others to paddle. As the waves were high with the wind blowing steadily toward shore, they did not have to wait long. At the shout of "Ho! Ho!" which means "paddle with all you might," the canoes rushed forward, for they must be going fast enough when the waves reached them to keep up with the onrushing waters.

George stood on the shore watching anxiously to see the boats lifted high by the waves, then suddenly drop to level water again and sweep onward with the speed of wind. It made him think of a glorious run down a long toboggan slide on water instead of on ice or snow. He was not disappointed, for the boat he was interested in reached the beach first. With a shout of joy the boys jumped out and George ran to meet them, very glad that they had won.

ANTHONY GIACONE.

PETER PINTO. THE BLACK HORSE.

Once there was a horse. He was black, and if anyone should see it, he would have bad luck.

So one day a robber passed through the wood, which was dark, too, and he met the horse. But when the robber saw the horse, he was so angry that he killed the horse. When the police heard about this, they decided to go after the robber. When the robber went a little ways, he found a shoe from a horse. He was so glad that he just sat down and put the horse shoe in his pocket.

All this time the police were after the robber. At last the three policemen found the robber. One of the policemen said, "Well done, lad," and the policeman handed him a check of \$1000. The police asked the robber what was his name and he said, "Jack." Jack was very glad and said, "I won't rob any more," and he lived more happily. Soon Jack became a policeman and lived happily ever after.

PETER PINTO.

HARRY KENNEY.

(Age 11.)

BILL AND JACK AT ROBBERS' ISLE.

Bill and Jack were two boys. Bill was 13 years old and Jack was 15.

One day Bill and Jack were going camping at a place that was called Robbers' Isle. They had found that it was on Lake Mim.

Next day the two boys started

out with enough supplies to last them for their camping trip.

They were camped on Robbers' Isle for a week or so. Every day they went in swimming at Lake Mim. One day when they were going in swimming in Lake Mim they heard some noises in the bushes. It was robbers that were trying to rob Bill and Jack of their money. The robbers took the boys' money and ran away. Bill and Jack had no more money, but just a pencil and a piece of paper. The boys wrote home for some money and their parents sent them some. They received it the next day and left Robbers' Isle the same day. They arrived safely at home.

HARVEY KENNEY.

JOHN DAVIES.

(11 years old.)

JACK AND FRED.

Once upon a time there were two boys. Their names were Fred and Jack. Fred was 11 years old and Jack was 12 years old. One day Jack said, "Tomorrow let us go fishing." The next day they took their lunch and their fishing rods and started out. The fishing pond was a long way off. They got there at noon. They ate their lunch and started to fish. It seemed to be hard luck there, so they went down to the end of the pond. Look! said Fred. Jack looked and saw two men running toward the woods. "Let's follow them," said Jack. They followed them far in to the wood, till the men ran behind a big rock. Jack and Fred ran around the rock, but they could not find the men. "Let's climb to the top of the rock," said Fred, so they climbed to the top. When they got in the middle of the rock a trapdoor opened and they fell in. When they got up they found themselves in a room. They heard men laughing and talking. Then two men came in and tied Jack and Fred's hands behind them, and then went out. Jack looked about and saw a dagger. He called to Fred to come to him. Jack took the rope that held Fred's hand. When Fred was free he took the dagger and freed Jack. When they were both free they felt the walls, which were made of dirt. Fred gave Jack the dagger and Jack started to dig. He dug about an hour, when he fell into a room, and there sat a group of men. Jack stuck the dagger into his pocket. The men grabbed Jack and Fred, and said: "You have followed two of my men; we will let you go this time if you will promise not to tell anyone, and then we will let you go. So Jack and Fred promised. So they let them go. It was night and it was cold, so they sat down on the ground and stayed there till the morning. They got home, but just

then the dagger fell and their father made them tell. When they had told the story their father telephoned the police. Jack and Fred took the police to the cave and the police got the robbers, and gave Jack and Fred \$5000 reward.

JOHN DAVIES.

ROBERT PELTIER.

(12 Years.)

THE CAVE.

In the year 1889 as Jim and Pierre were walking up a hill, Pierre stumbled over a rock. Pierre looked back and saw a queer looking paper. He picked it up and he showed it to Jim and it was a map. Beside it said, "\$1000 reward for the capture of Bloody Pete." So they followed the directions and they came to a big rock. They saw on the paper it said, "Push the red button!" So they did and a door opened. They went in and captured bloody Pete and got the reward and were married.

ROBERT PELTIER.

EDWARD LOUSTALOT.

(12 Years.)

LITTLE CHICK.

I once had a sweet little chick. It was a pleasure to watch it pick. Though small it was very quick. Also handsome! And also slick for a sweet little chick. But it liked mostly of all To pick from the hand of its master, Dick.

EDWARD LOUSTALOT.

MARTIN ANDRESEN.

(PIE EY JIM)

THE EXTRA.

"Extra! Extra!" said a small boy. He was very poor. A man said, "Let me see the paper." In the front head lines was in large letters, "PRESIDENT OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK KILLED MYSTERIOUSLY." "He was my uncle. I'll get the crook that did it." The little boy said, "I was at the bank when he was killed. The police killed him because he took some bags out of the vaults. The police shot two shots and hit him in the back." The man said, "Stop! Come home with me." So the boy never had to sell any more papers.

MARTIN ANDRESEN.

JOHN BILLECI.

THE SPOTTED ROCK.

Chapter I.

Once there lived a king whose name was King Berd. King Berd was always angry for he wanted a spotted magic rock held by some ghosts who lived in a cave on a mountain a little way from the palace. One day King Berd called his daughter and said, "Mary, go get me that spotted rock before tonight." Mary, knowing that her father meant it, started toward the cave on the mountain.

Chapter II.

When Mary reached the cave, she went in and fell in a trap door. The ghosts came in and took her to a room full of skeletons and tied her up. Mary was so scared that she began to scream. Meanwhile night came on and the king, missing his daughter, sent some men to go and find her and he also offered \$10,000 for the return of Mary. A poor boy, whose name was Bob, went to the king and asked if he could search for Mary and the king said, "If you can get the spotted magic rock and my daughter, you can marry my daughter."

Chapter III.

Bob in Luck.

Bob went home, got his gun and started to the cave to rescue Mary and get the spotted rock. Finally Bob reached the cave. He went in and saw Mary tied up in a skeleton room. Bob took Mary and the spotted rock and went to King Berd. King Berd had Bob marry Mary and gave him \$10,000 besides to last them until their time comes.

JOHN BILLECI.

NATHAN BLACK.

JACK AND BILL.

Once there were two boys. Their names were Jack and Bill. They were both brave boys. One day Bill was reading the evening news-

paper. It said the one who will capture Blackeye Joe will get \$2000 reward. Bill said, "Jack, let's capture Blackeye Joe and his gang tonight." "Alright, Bill." They packed up and started. They each took two guns. They walked three miles. It was getting dark and Bill said, "Let us stay here for the night." "Alright." They slept all night well. The next morning they ate wild nuts which they found near them. They bathed their faces in a little spring near by. After they started on their journey they saw a cave. They went in and saw Blackeye Joe and his gang. They took them to jail and got each \$1000 and lived happily ever after.

BLACKEYE JOE.

MAXWELL HEWITT.

(12 Years.)

MY EXPERIENCE AS A RAIN-DROP.

Down I came faster and faster. I was not lonesome for I had millions of companions. We were forever bumping into each other. Suddenly the earth came into sight and it grew colder and colder. What was the matter? We were slowing up. Finally our descent became so slow that we were just floating. I looked at my clothes. They had turned white. I was no longer a raindrop but a beautiful snowflake.

At last I landed on top of those who had reached earth first. All of my companions lit on top of me. Then more and more came down until the snow was many feet deep. The next morning a little boy, who lived near where I had dropped, came out to ride on his sled. He was the first boy out. "Come on, fellows," he called. Suddenly the whole hillside was covered with children with sleds.

About 4 o'clock in the afternoon the hot sun came out. After fifteen or twenty minutes, we began to melt. All my friends rose into the air and now it was my turn. From a snowflake I changed into vapor. Up I went to join my comrades, only to go through the same performance many times again.

MAXWELL HEWITT.

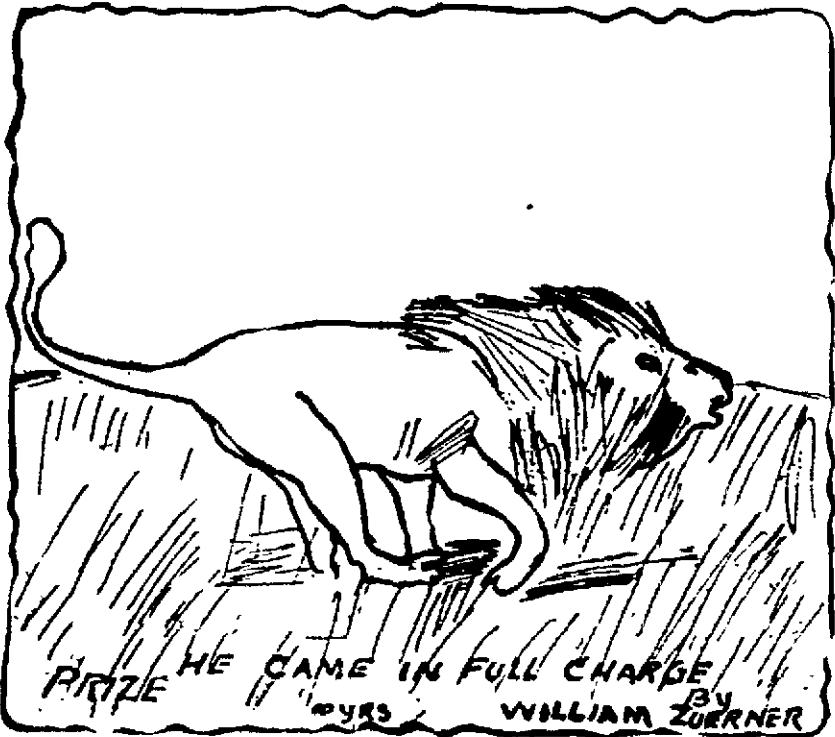
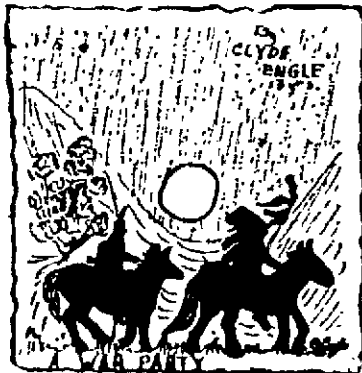
JOHN KEESHAN.

TONY AND ZENO.

Tony and Zeno were sitting in their places on a bench in the office of the Northwest Mounted Police, waiting to be given an order to trail someone. Suddenly the captain called Tony to him and said, "I want you to get Jim Crow, because he robbed a bank and killed two men." Tony took the picture of Jim Crow and started toward the nearest town in a "bob-sled" and two powerful horses.

While they were going on their

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Way a pack of wolves started to chase them. Tony fired and hit one on the leg, but it did not hurt him much because it did not go very far into the flesh. Zeno had to mind the horses, so he could not fire. Pretty soon the wolves were up to the sled. One got under the horses' heels, but he was kicked in the jaw and then the sled ran over him. That was one out of the fight. Tony hit one on the head and killed him. He fired and killed another one. He fired six shots in succession and killed five. There were only two left. He fired but missed. One wolf jumped and grabbed the horse by the throat and tore a large gash. The horse stumbled and fell down while the wolf jumped on him and started to tear him all to pieces, but Zeno shot him in the head. The other wolf ran into the woods. Tony unhitched the dead horse from the sled and started to go to the nearest house.

When he got there a man came to the door. Tony told him about the accident and the man said that he could go and get Zeno and the horse and sled. Tony got Zeno and put the horse in the barn. When the man heard what Tony and Zeno were after, he took a gun and shot Tony in the heart. Zeno shot the man and knelt down beside Tony and saw that he was dead. Then he shot himself, so that was the end of Tony and Zeno.

ELBERT MOORE.
THE RANGER BOYS' ADVENTURES.

There were ten boys who called themselves the "Ranger Boys." Every Tuesday they had a meeting night.

It was the Tuesday before Christmas that the boys decided to go to the "Black Hills" and pick holly berries. The leader, who was called "Chief Ranger," found a patch full of berries. He called the other boys and they all started to pick them excepting Chief Ranger. He stood gazing at some morning glory vines that climbed up some large rocks. He pushed the vines aside and, to his surprise, he saw a large cave. He went in and found a large chest, also suits that were made of white cloth and had K. K. K. printed on the front of them. He broke the lock off

the chest. He found millions of dollars in it. He called the other boys. They carried the chest to the police station and told the captain they found millions of dollars. The captain laughed at first, but when they showed him the money he was dumbfounded, for it was the money that was stolen from the bank.

The boys were richly rewarded and were given \$100 cash account in the bank.

ELBERT MOORE.

GEORGE STANLEY.

(Age 11.)

ON THE MISSISSIPPI STEAMBOAT.

Once upon a time two boys asked their mother if they could go to New Orleans in the new steamboat, and so she said "Yes."

She gave them the money to go. They kissed her goodbye.

When they got on the boat two men started to follow them around the deck.

Night came on and the boys went to their stateroom; the men came in, too.

They said they were going to capture them. Bob grabbed a chair and knocked them out.

Bill, the other boy, took a motorboat and got the police.

The police said they were after the men.

Bob and Bill got \$5000 apiece to improve their home.

By **GEORGE STANLEY,**
or "BLACKBEARD."

WARREN BREWSTER GRIFFITH.

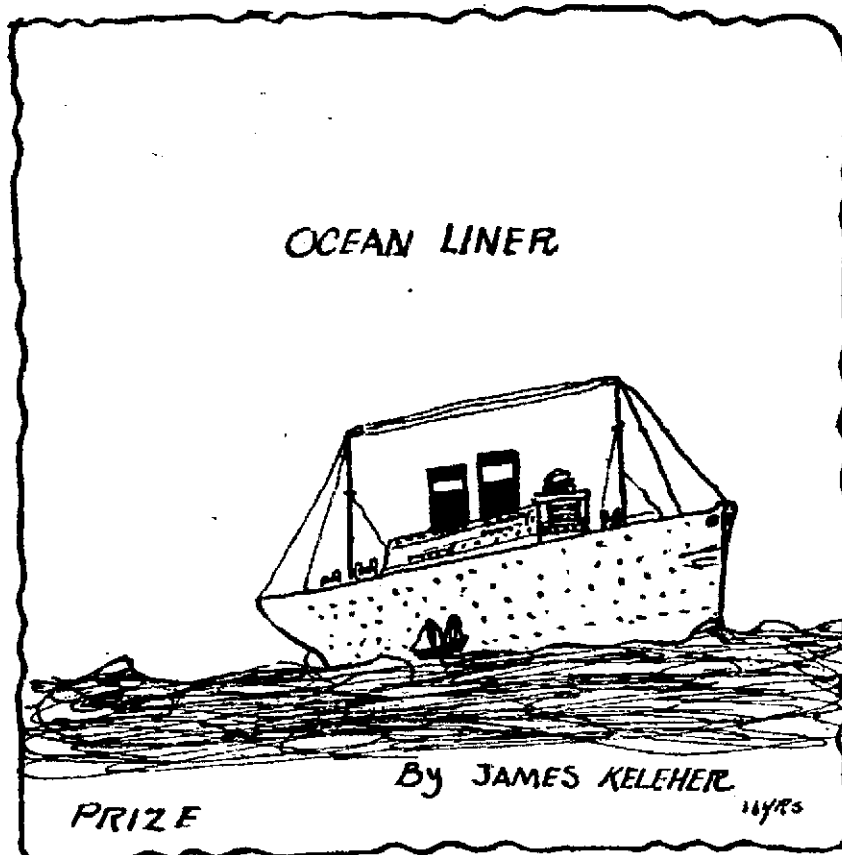
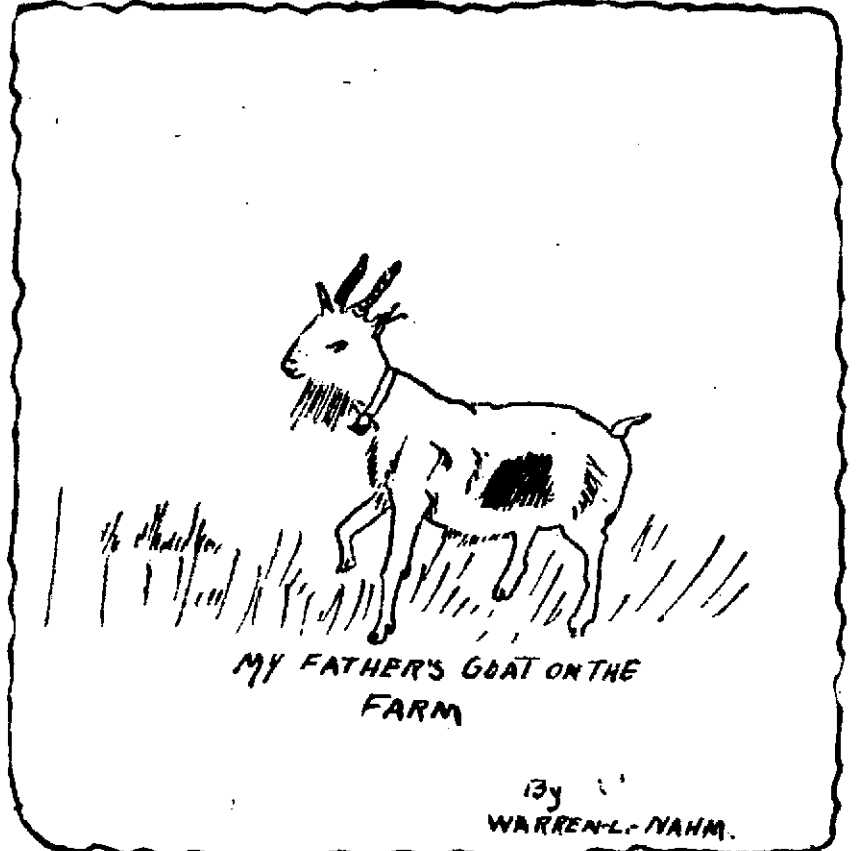
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THE STOLEN PLANS.

There was once a man named John Beuford, who was working on a secret invention. He had a daughter named Ruth, whom he loved very dearly. One day she came into his laboratory, and to

haunted house. He quietly but cautiously opened the door and went in. Then he saw another door and there he saw Jake putting the plans in a safe. Tom drew his gun and said, "Hands up!" All of a sudden someone of Jake's gang hit Tom on the head.

Meanwhile Ruth called the police and they followed the trail to the haunted house where Tom was.



her great surprise, she found her father lying dead on the floor. She looked for the plans to his invention and found they were stolen. Just then a young man named Tom Wilson stepped in and said he was a detective on the trail of Jake Flint, a notorious thief and murderer. Then he left her there weeping.

Tom then followed the trail to a

They went in and took Jake and his gang off to prison. Later Tom and Ruth were married. Ruth sold the plans to the government for a large sum of money. It was one of the best electric motors ever built.

WARREN GRIFFITH.

STANFORD ROSE.

JACK AND JOHN.

Once upon a time there were two boys and their names were Jack and John. So one day they were walking down the road and Jack said, "Let's go down to the pasture." John said, "Alright." At last they came to the pasture. They saw one horse in the pasture, so Jack said to John, "You jump on the horse while I hold the horse." So John jumped on the horse, and as soon as John jumped on the horse, the horse started to kick and Jack was so afraid that he let the horse go and John fell down and broke his arm. They then went home and he told his mother that Jack tripped him and he fell down. So his mother went to Jack's mother and Jack told his mother he was riding on a horse down in the pasture and fell down and broke his arm. So his mother went home and gave John a spanking for telling lies to his mother. And thereafter he never went to the pasture and rode on horses again.

STANFORD ROSE.

VOYLE FOWLE.

(10 Years.)

THE KING'S THREE SONS.

Once there was a king. This king had three sons. The king said to his sons, "The one who can bring me the best thing can have the Princess Welina, an Indian Princess." So the three sons set out on their journey. The eldest son came to a merchant who had an ivory tube that you looked through and you could see anybody you wanted

to. So he took it for forty purses of gold. The middle size son came to a merchant that had a carpet for forty purses of gold that would take him any place he wanted. So he took it. Then the youngest son came to a merchant who had an apple that could make any person well for forty purses of gold. So he took it. Then the sons met at an inn and showed each other their things. The first son wanted to see the princess, so he looked through the tube, but, alas, she was dying. So they all jumped on the carpet and wished themselves in the Princess' room, and there they were. So the youngest let her smell the apple and she was well.

The king said that he could not decide who had won the princess, so he said, "The one who can shoot an arrow farthest in the forest can have her." So the youngest son's arrow went off so far he could not find it. So he won the princess.

VOYLE FOWLE.

HAROLD DOUGLAS FULLER.

(11 Years.)

THE CAT IN PA'S SHOE.

Part I.

Once upon a time there was a little boy who lived on the Great American Desert. He had a little kitten named Nigger. Nigger was a funny little kitten that liked to play.

Part II.

One night, about 12 o'clock, Jack, as that was the boy's name, heard a noise in the next room. He got scared and pulled the covers over his head.

Part III.

In the morning when the family got up they saw his shoe jumping. He caught it and pulled out Nigger, who had a nightmare.

HAROLD DOUGLAS FULLER.

ARCHIE BURTON.

THE RUNAWAY.

My friend and I hired a horse. The man we got him from said he was a kind and quiet horse. My friend and the farmer went down to the barn to get the horse. When they came back, my friend and I got on the horse and then we started down the lane and over the meadow. The horse wanted to go slow but we wouldn't let him. Then he started a fierce pace down the hill and through the fields. Then I fell off but my friend stayed, and when he fell off he was killed, and I never rode a horse since.

ARCHIE BURTON.

JACK VAN ALLEN.

(11 Years.)

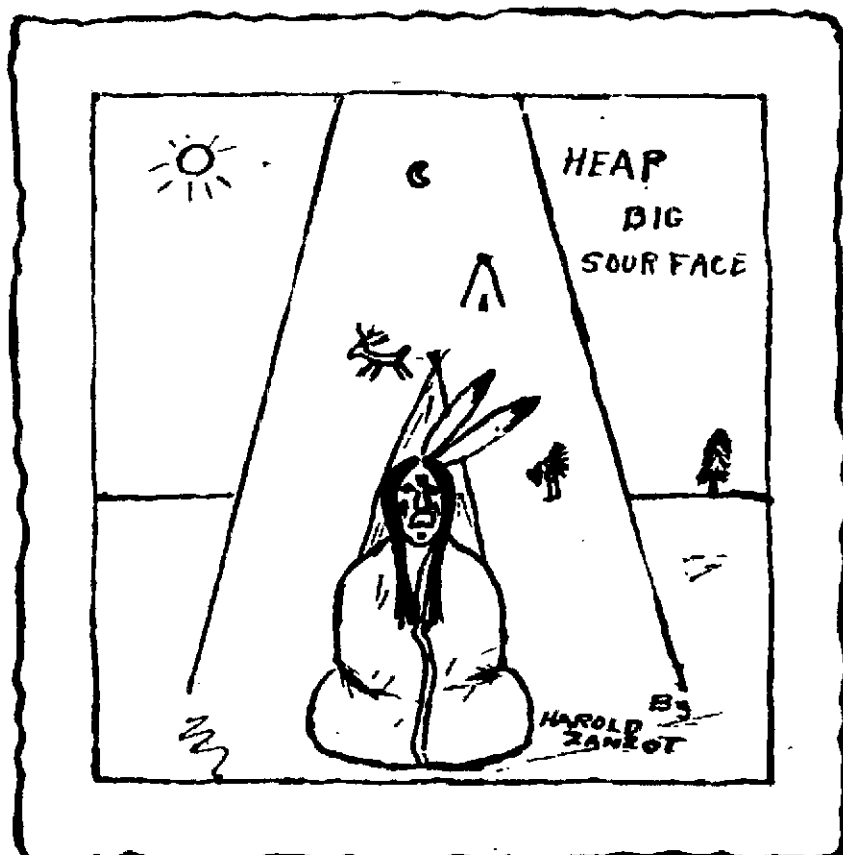
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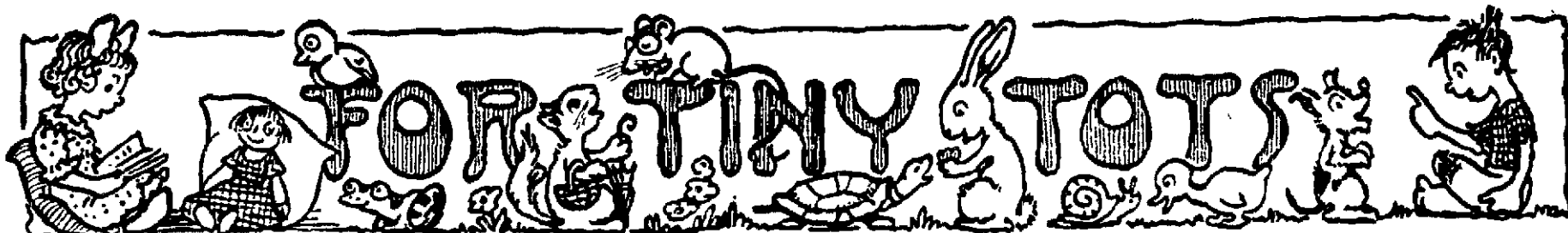
THE HAUNTED HOTEL.

Once upon a time Jim and Tom were on a vacation trip. On the way they stopped in at a hotel which was said to be haunted. The boys said that they were not scared and that they would sleep there over-night.

At midnight Jim was awakened by a blood-curdling holler, and when he looked up he saw a ghost and a skeleton having a fight. He awakened Tom. The boys watched the battle, and all of a sudden the skeleton disappeared and they saw the ghost fall to the floor. Jim quickly switched on the light, and behold, there lay a man covered with a sheet with blood rushing from his head. They called a detective, and as soon as he saw the man, he said he was a robber and had probably come into the boys' room to steal their money. The skeleton that had murdered the robber had killed. The man killed the robber for revenge. The boys were given a reward of \$25 apiece and they continued their trip the next morning. Everyone they met they told them their exciting adventure in the haunted hotel.

JACK VAN ALLEN.

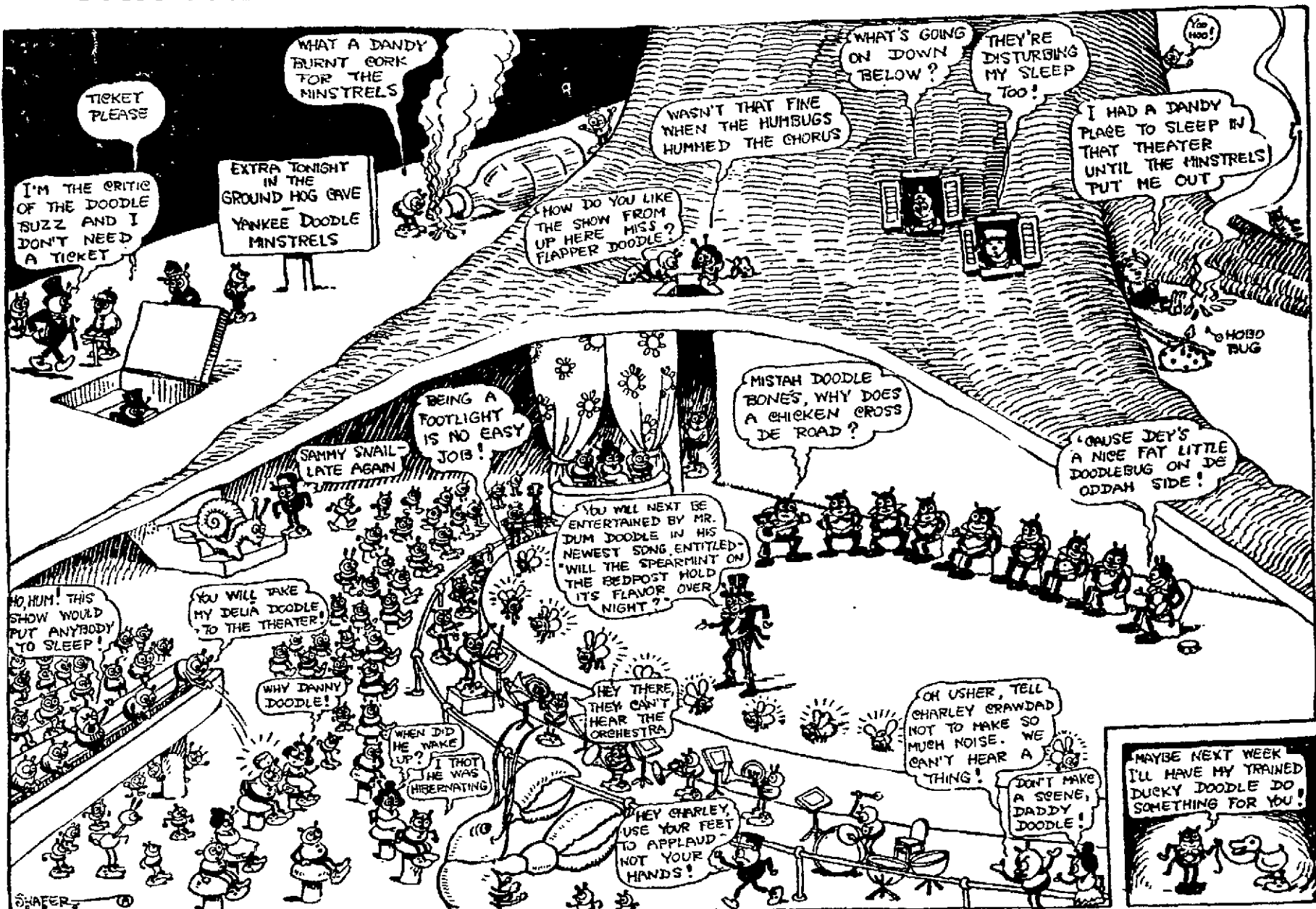




DOODLEBUGS

Extra! The Yankee Doodle Minstrels!

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FRANCES MRAZ.
(8 Years.)

THE HAUNTED HOUSE.

In Greenville, the old Dudley house was supposed to be haunted, at least everybody thought it to be. At night chains would rattle and smoke would come out of some of the windows but it never burned down. This house was the hang-out of Lazy Pete's gang. At night they would plunder towns and then go to the house on the westbound train from New York.

We now see Hank Mann, a private detective. His duty was to go through the house that night. Mr. Ehrli's daughter, Susie, was kidnapped by Lazy Pete, who put her in the haunted house.

That night Hank went to the house with four guns. As he neared the house he saw the smoke coming out of the house and heard the rattling of chains. He entered the house and heard voices upstairs. He walked slowly upstairs. He heard Lazy Pete say, "Tonight at 12 we rob the Farmers' Bank." Hank quickly went and notified the sheriff. The father of Susie said that he would give his daughter's hand in marriage if anybody could save her.

That night at 12 every man at his post waited for the arrival of Lazy Pete. Lazy Pete left the girl all alone in the house. Hank quickly got her as soon as Lazy Pete left the house. Then Lazy Pete was captured by the police and was hanged. Hank married Susie.

FRANCES MRAZ

ELODIE COUDYSER
(8 Years.)

THE BRAVE BOY.

Once upon a time there lived a family in a house which was very spooky. When they couldn't stand it any longer they moved away, although they still owned the house. So they said, "Anybody who would stay here over night could have the house."

Now, near these people lived a boy, very brave, and he said that he would stay overnight. So that night at about 10 o'clock, he went to the house. The people went with him to the house, but could go no further. So the boy was left alone. But he didn't care much as long as he was brave. He went in the house and found he was in a small passageway. His name is Robert Hanson. Then he came to four doors. The first one said, "Keep Out!" in big letters, but he went in. What do you think he saw? He saw a lot of girls tied up. So he untied them and took them with him. He was very glad to have someone with him while he went through the house. The next door had "Welcome on it." So Robert went in, but to his surprise, he saw the room full of gold and silver. The next door had "Beware, but he went in and saw a lot of people lying all over, but they were dead. But right above his head swung a knife

fastened by a hair! He just got out of the way in time and the knife fell. Robert went on to the next door which said, "Beware, Keep out!" Robert went in with the others. There in the room around the table sat all the men. They were drinking. Robert said, "Hands up!" The robbers put them up. Robert took them to jail. The girls thanked Robert over and over again but Robert said that he didn't mind it at all.

He went and told Mr. and Mrs. Jones, as they were the people that owned the house, and they said that the house belong to you now. Then he told them about the passageway and how he came to the four doors and how he got the girls. Later on we see Robert married to one of the Jones girls and lived very happily in the spooky house to a great age.

ELODIE COUDYSER.

JUANITA ROBERTS.

(9 Years.)

THE POOR LITTLE PRINCESS.

Once upon a time there was a princess whose name was Mary. Her mother and father were very cruel to her. They were so cruel to her that they wouldn't even hire servants. They would never let her speak to anyone or step out of the house.

One day her mother said "Mary, go do your dishes." Mary had just found a good book and had just started to read an interesting story. She put it down and started to do her dishes. Then all of a sudden, a strange thing happened. Right in front of her was a door in the wall which Mary had never seen opened. My but Mary was surprised. In there she saw a beautiful woman. In her hand she held a little wand. Then she said, "Whenever you want to read, take this wand and say, 'I wish, I wish, I wish.'" Mary took the wand and before she could thank her, she was gone. After that Mary was never sad any more because there was always a time to read and work and then she took her wand and said, "I wish, I wish, I wish."

JUANITA ROBERTS.

BY GRACE DE LA CERDA.
(9 Years old.)

"TWO BRAVE BOYS."

Once there lived two little boys, they were twins and were seven years old. One day they asked their mother if they could take their lunch and go in the hills and eat it. I forgot to tell you that they were very rich, their mother said no, but they begged so much that she said maybe. Wait till your father comes home. Their mother was very cruel to them. And their father was a bootlegger, so the children were always very lonely. When their father came home he said, oh let the old pancake faces go. I hope some one will steal them ha ha ha. Now their father was drunk when he said that. So they went out in the

woods and when they were eating their lunch, Bob, I forgot to tell you their names were Bob and Bill, well Bob yelled, Bill turned around and he was gone. He looked around and saw a button and pressed it, and he saw some stairs he went down and saw four or five doors, he opened one and saw Bob trying to spin on an old spinning wheel. He didn't say anything to her, she didn't see him. He closed the door and went to the other room, he looked in and saw some men, he closed the door and went in the room where Bob was. He told her to keep still, she said no you old fool. He said nothing but closed the door and went and pressed a button and found himself outside. He ran to the police and he brought eleven cops with him. He went in and the eleven cops fouled him. When the robbers were caught he found out his father was one of them. He looked at his sister, picked her up and carried her out side and told her he was not a fool. She said I know you are not. Bob said why did you call me one then. I don't know, but I am not your sister. Your father stole me and I love you. Will you marry me? Bob said Bill, yes dear, I will love you. So they were married and lived happy ever after.

GRACE DE LA CERDA.

MARY COLMA.

(7 Years.)

THE LOST PRINCESS.

Once upon a time a king had a daughter whose name was Mary. Now there were robbers in that country. They had stolen Mary. There was a prince whose name was John. When he heard of this he said that he would look for her. As he was riding in the forest, he saw a man press a button and go in a cave. When the man went in, the prince went in too. He grabbed the man and tied him up. Then he went and looked for the princess. He found her in a room with seven men trying to make her kiss them. The prince opened the door and said, "Hands up!" He marched them to jail.

He then married the princess. They had two children. The mother named the girl Mary, and the boy John, and they lived happily ever after.

MARY COLMA.

RUSSELL GARCIA.
(7 Years.)

THE HAUNTED HOUSE.

Chapter I.

Once upon a time there lived a rich boy. His name was Albert. There was a poor boy who lived a half mile away. His name was Jack. One day Albert's father invited Jack and his mother and father to a party. After the party Albert and Jack played together. Jack stepped on Albert's toe. Then they started to fight. Albert hit Jack and knocked him down. Jack

got up and said "I'll make you go in the haunted house." Albert said, "If you go in tomorrow night, I'll go tonight." So that night Albert started out.

Chapter II.—In the Haunted House.

When Albert went up the steps, they rattled and banged. Just as he got in, somebody shot him. The next day the people saw Albert lying dead in the street. The next night Jack got all kinds of provisions. Then he started. On the way he met a girl all ragged and dirty. She asked him for something to eat. So he gave her all she wanted. Just as she ate the last bite, she turned into a fairy. She said, "I will give you one wish." Jack said, "I wish to catch the robbers in the haunted house."

Chapter III.—Jack in the Haunted House.

When Jack got to the haunted house, he looked in the window to see if there was any danger. He saw a man right behind the door. Just by luck the window was open. He crept up behind him and hit him on the head with a club and killed him. Jack caught the robbers and took them to jail. He went back to the haunted house to see if he could find any more clues. He was just in time to see the captain of the game trying to marry a girl friend of his. He crept up and killed him too. He found a telephone and called a taxi to carry the dead man in. For this he got \$2,000.00 and you know the rest.

RUSSELL GARCIA

ALICE BOSTED.

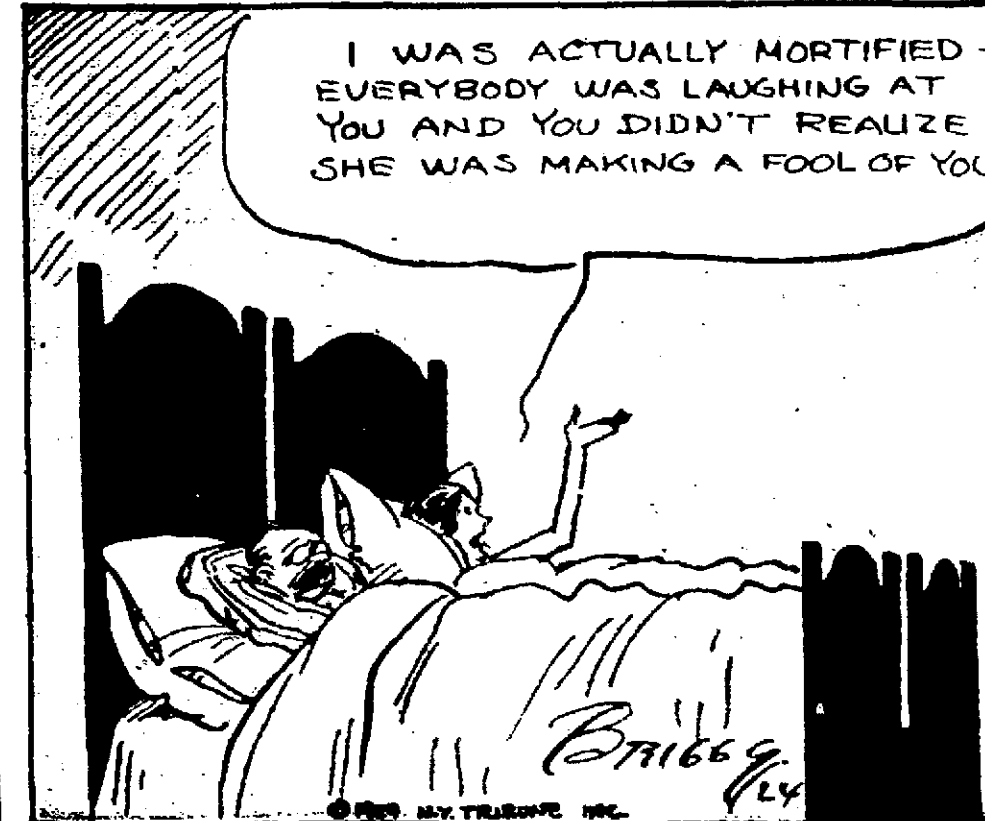
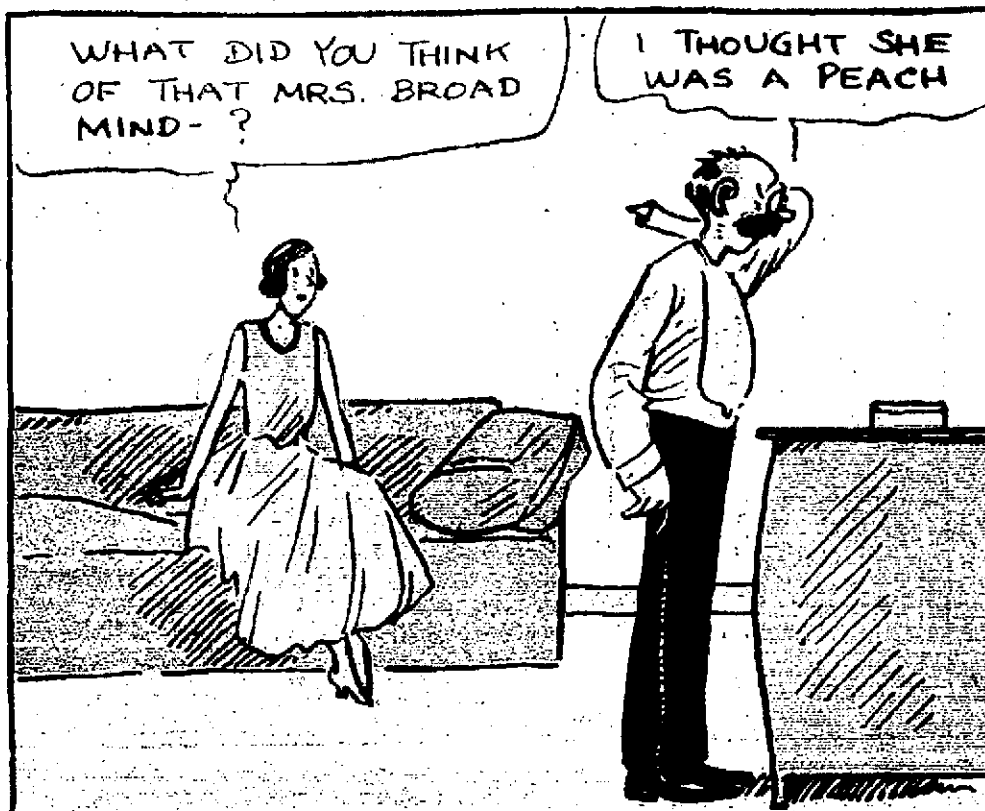
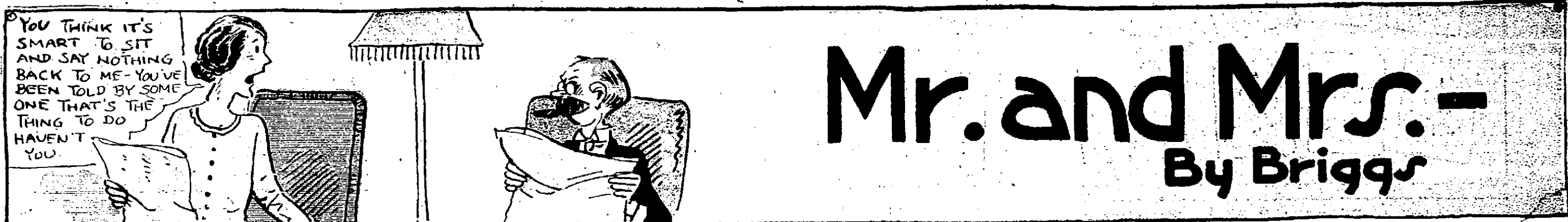
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THE ADVENTURE OF TWO

Once there were two little girls. One was six years old and the other was ten. They lived near a big woods. One day they went to the woods to pick flowers. They got lost in the woods. After walking a long way they came to a little house in the woods. They made a noise at the door and a little old woman came to the door. "We are lost in the woods," they said. "would you let us sleep all night here?" "Yes," she said, so they went in. The old woman said, "Now I have you," and she took a long stick. Just as she was going to hit them the little girl got hold of the stick and gave a big push. The old woman fell in the fireplace and burned up.

Then the girls went in a room. They saw a button. They pushed the button. Down and down they went until they came to a little room. A button was on the wall. They saw all kinds of pearls and money. They took a cart and a big dog that was there. They filled the cart and pushed the button and they were out at the door. They found their house and were rich and happy ever after.

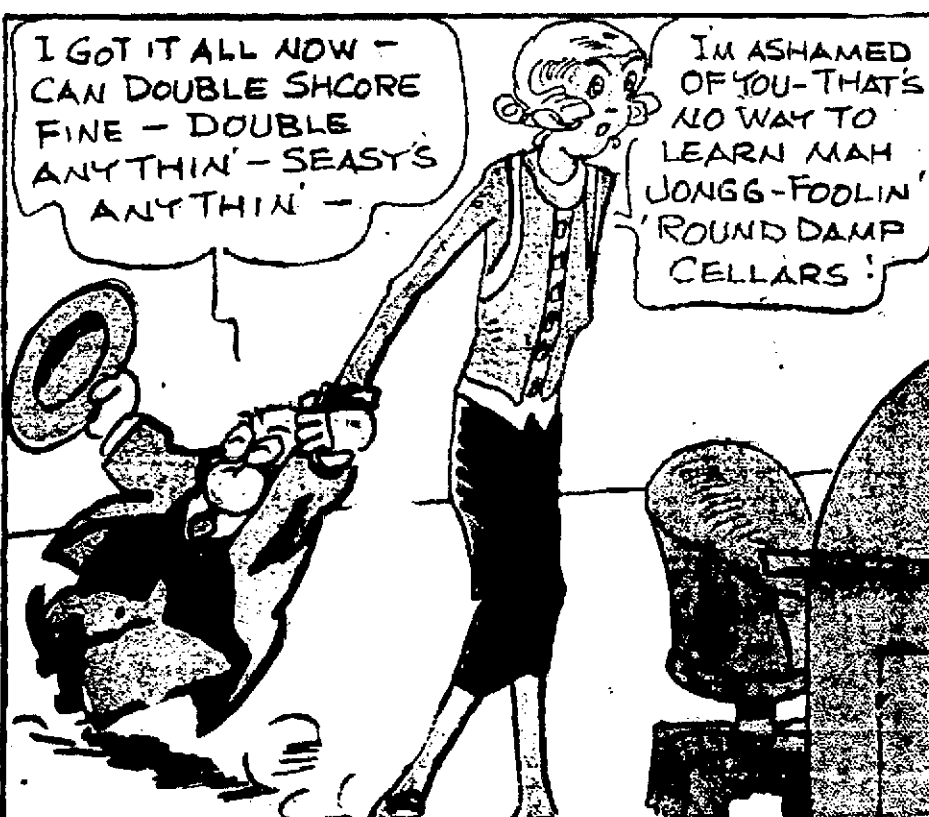
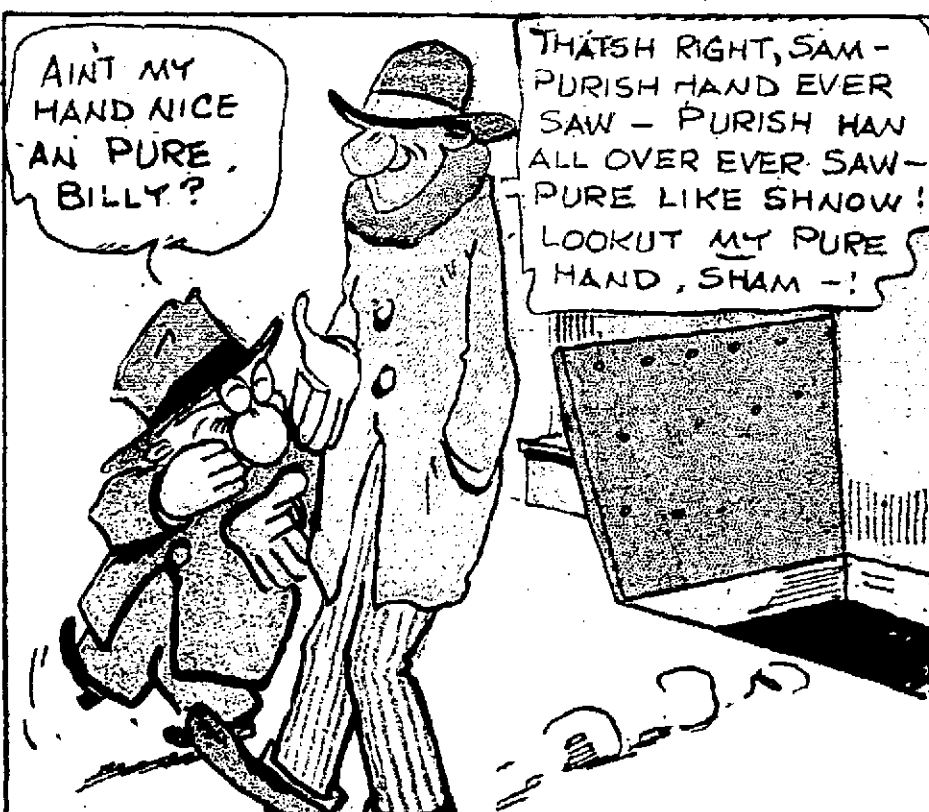
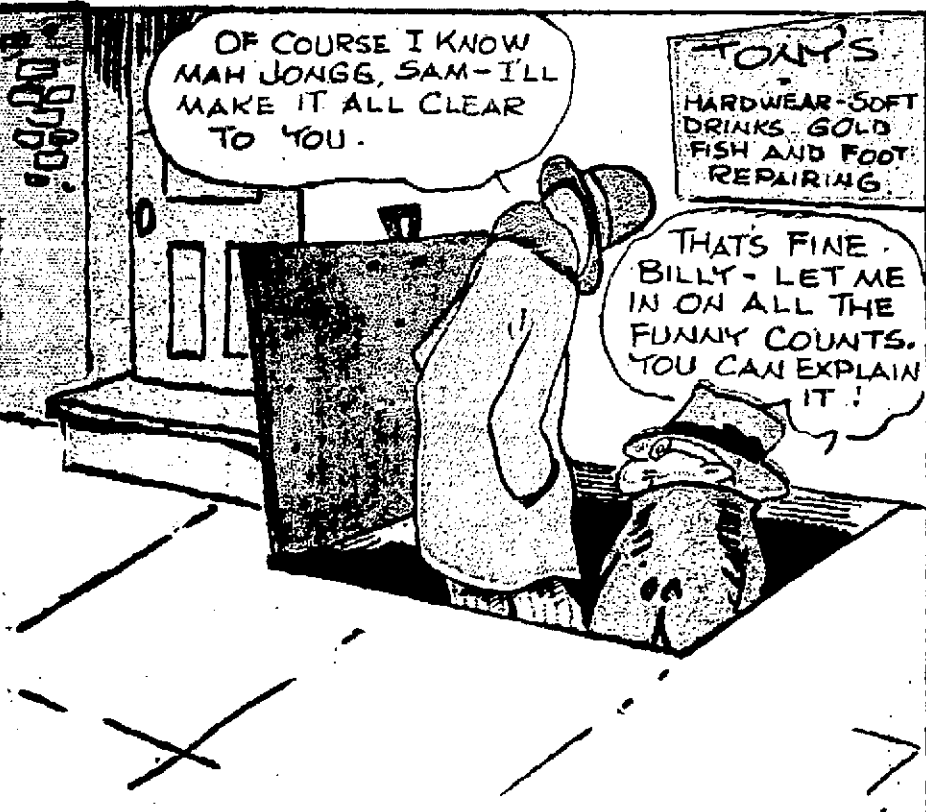
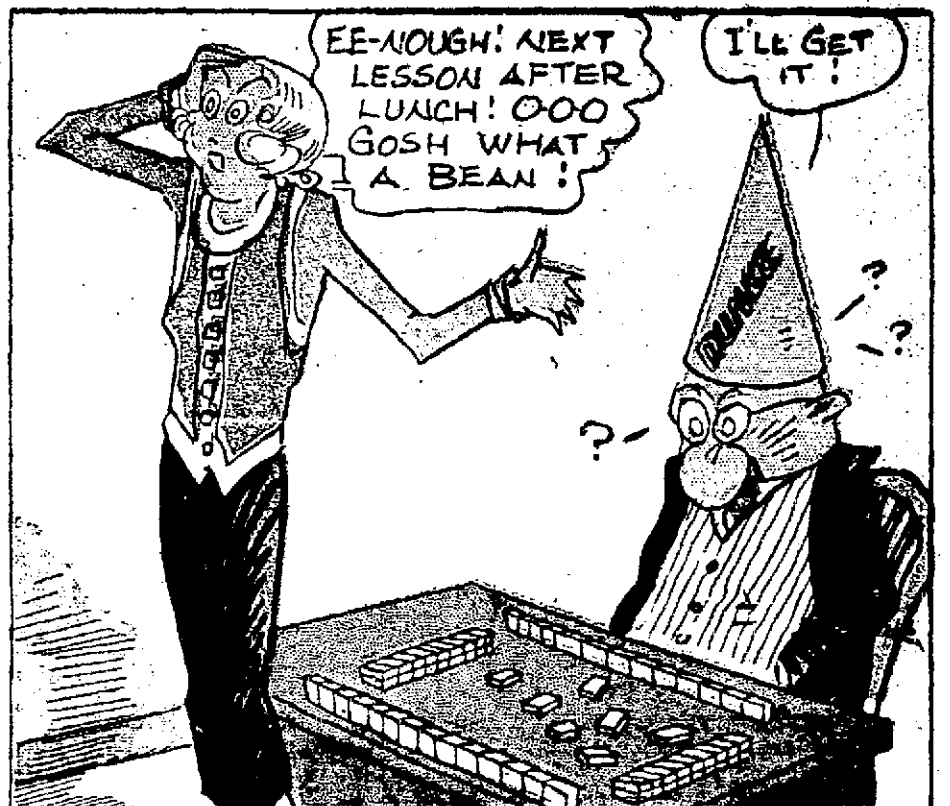
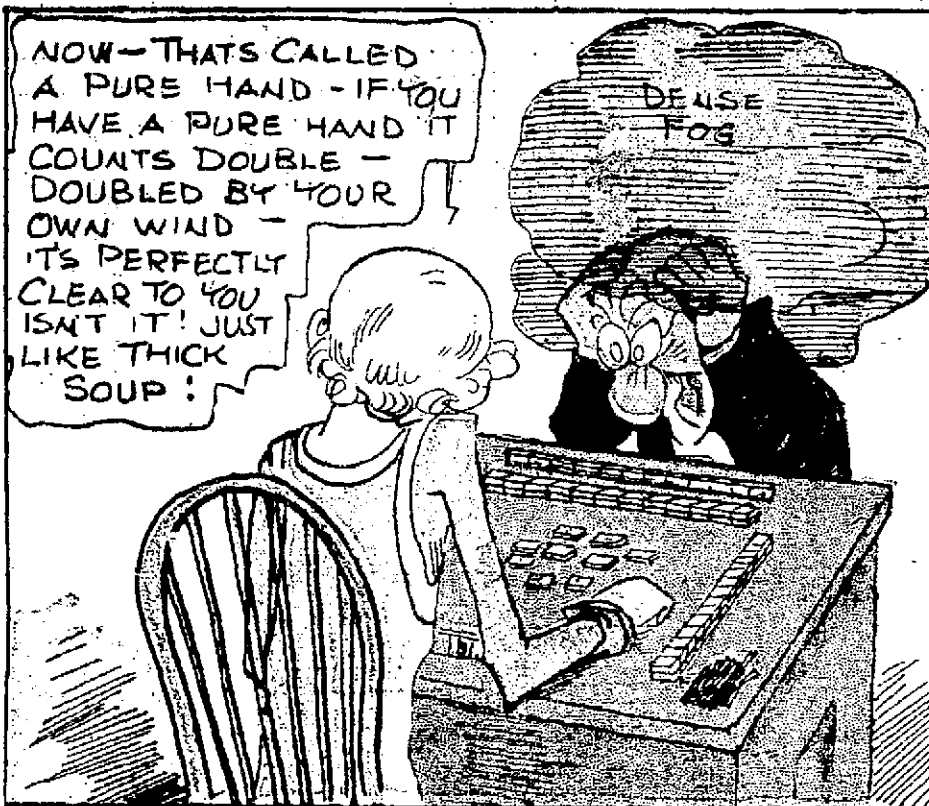
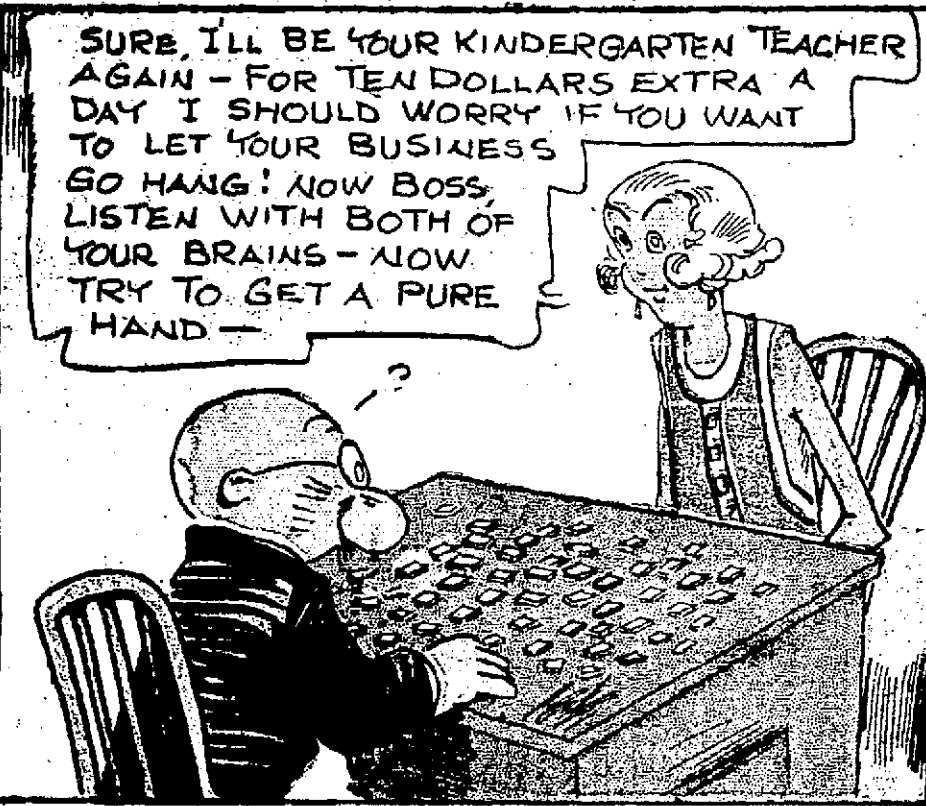
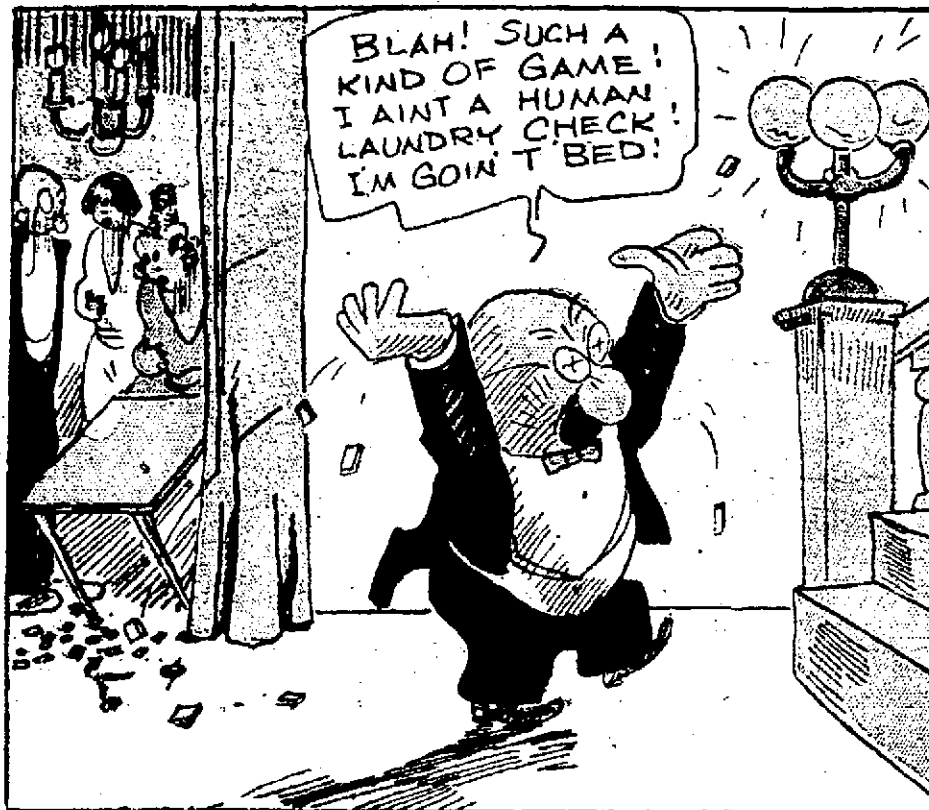
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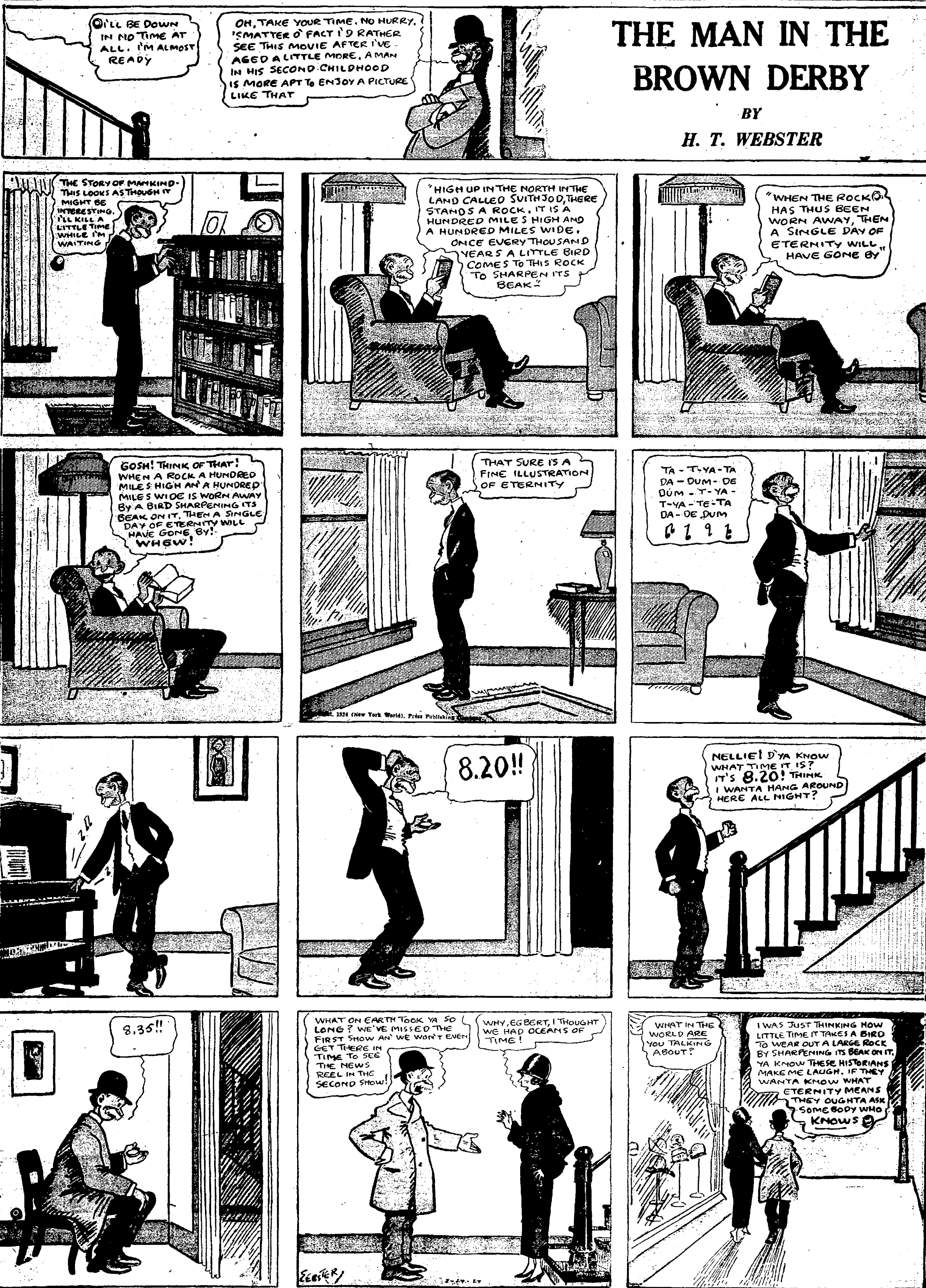
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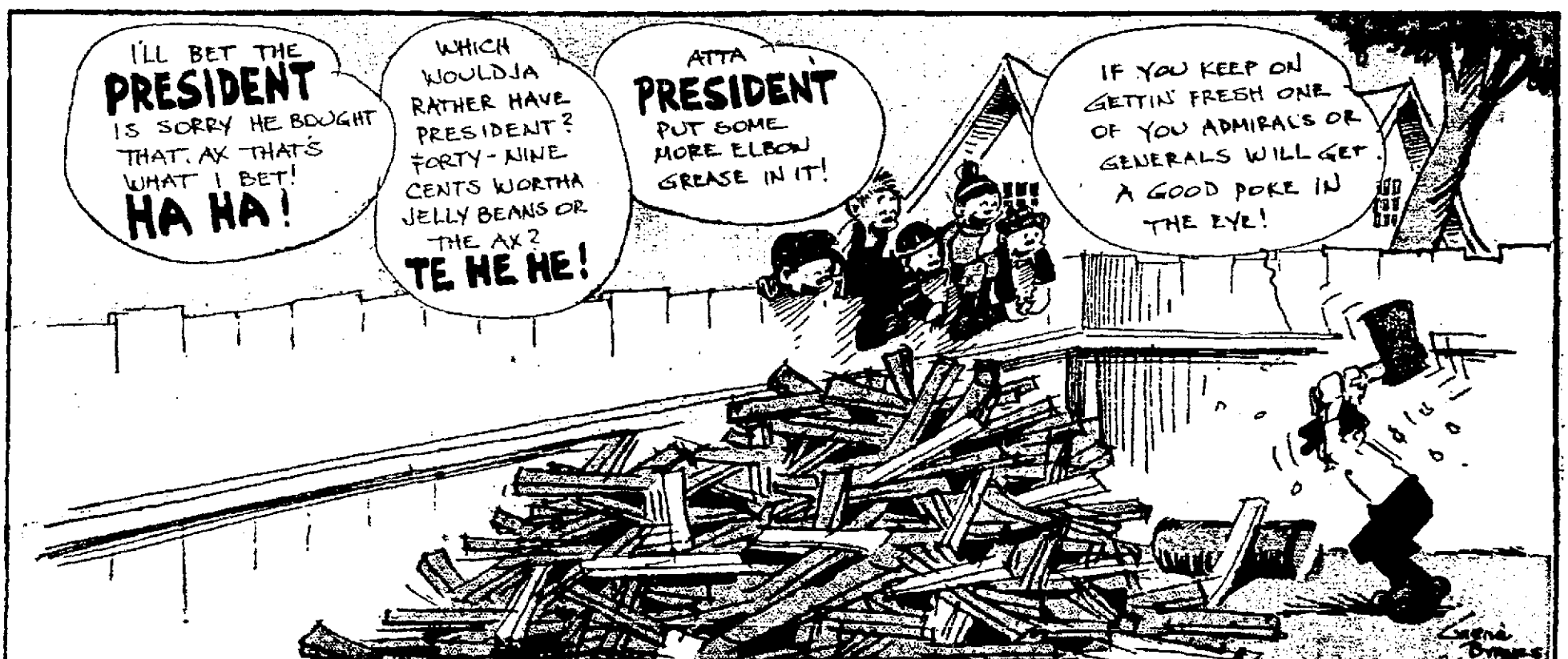
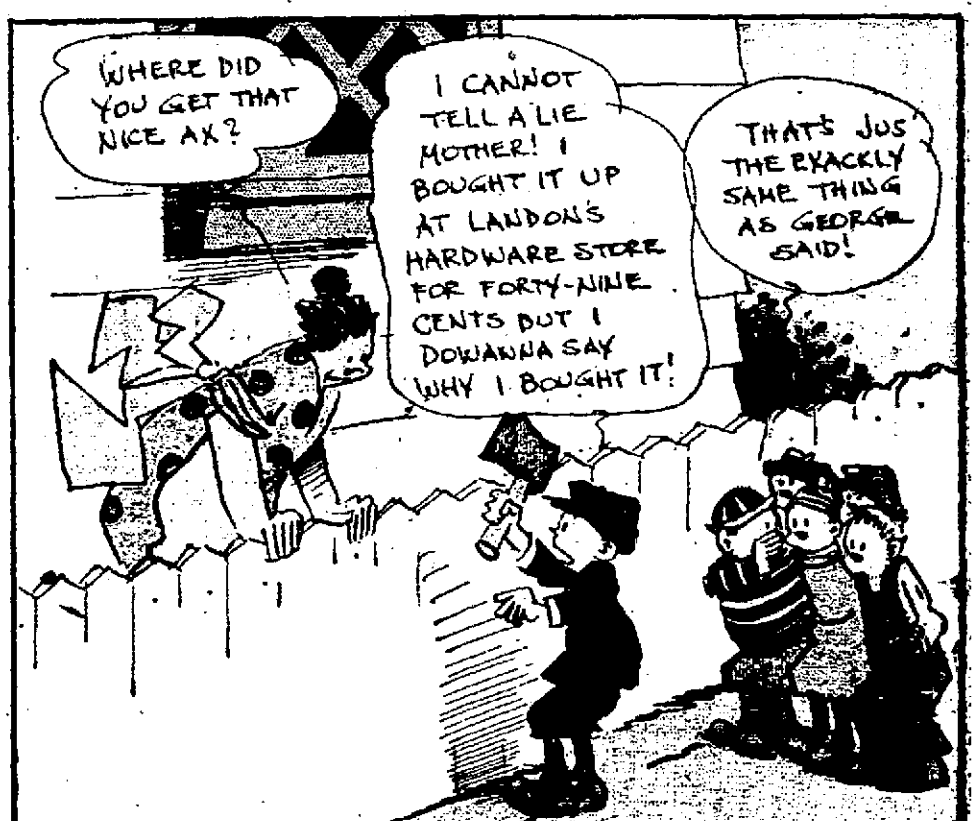
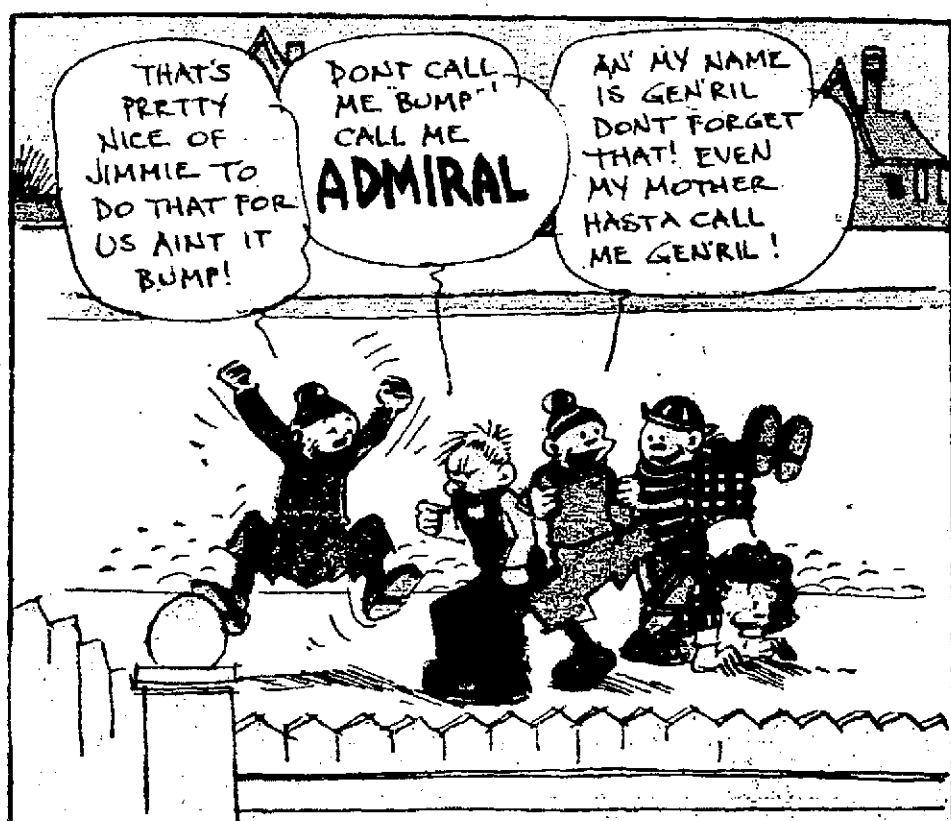
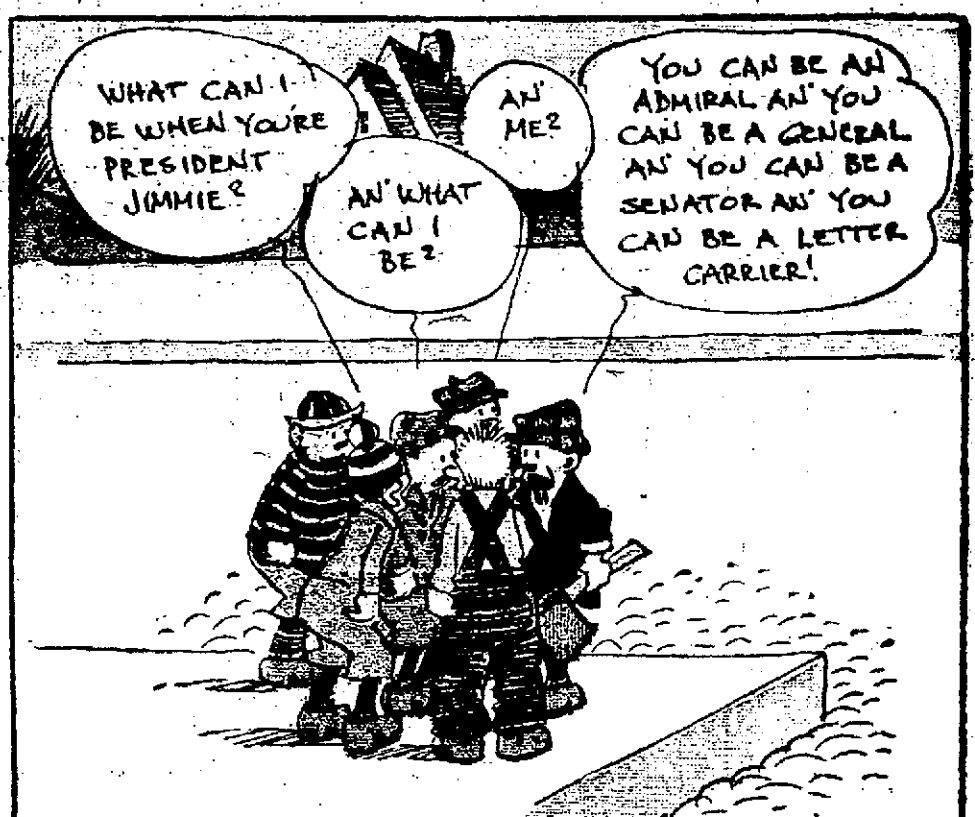
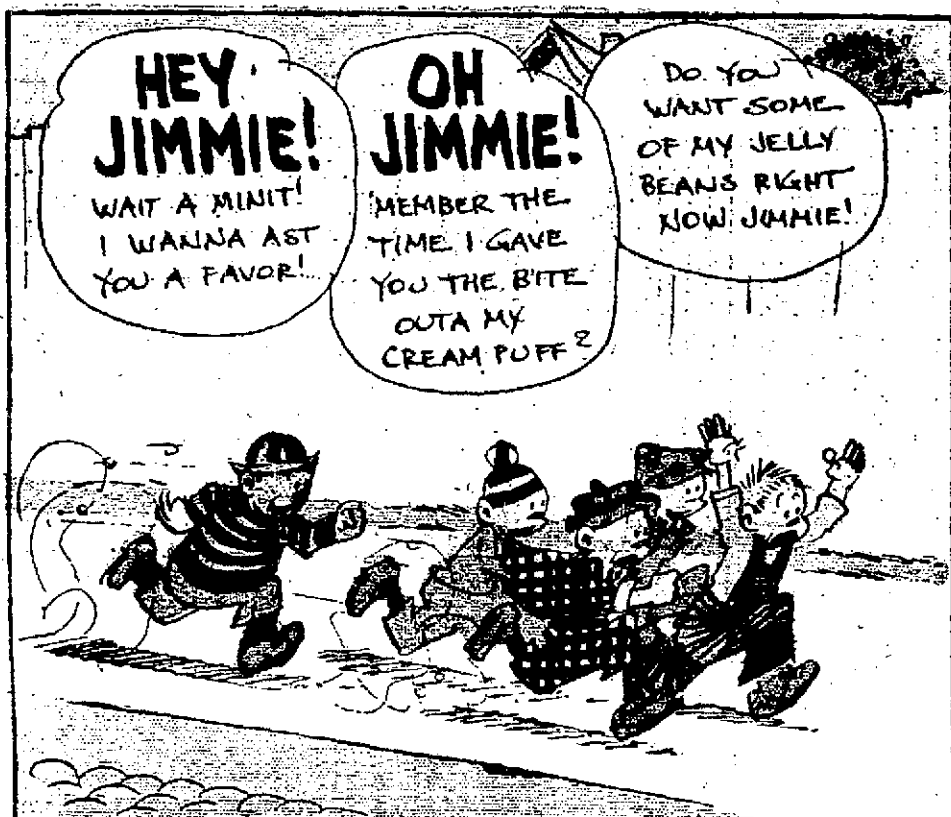
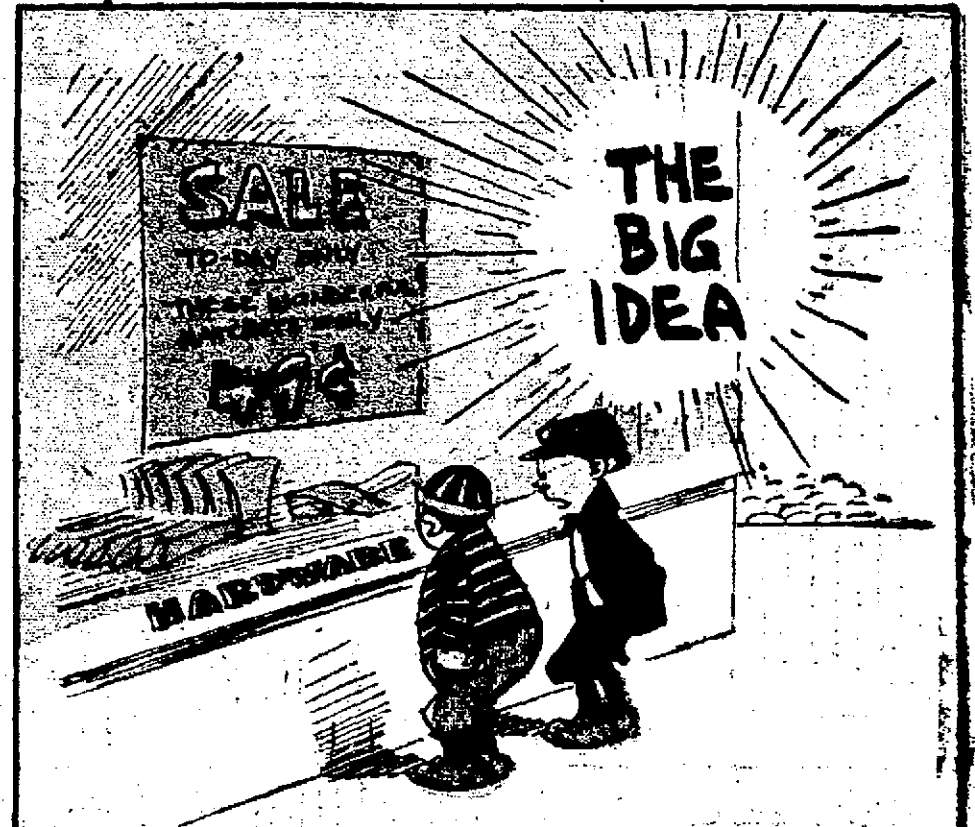
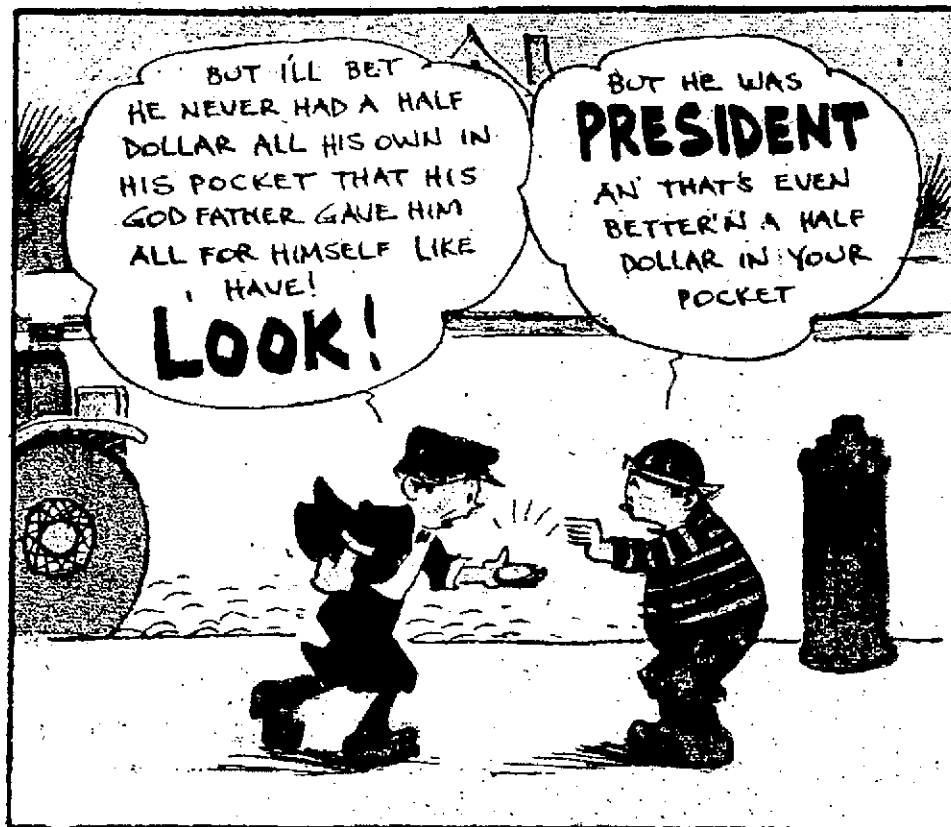
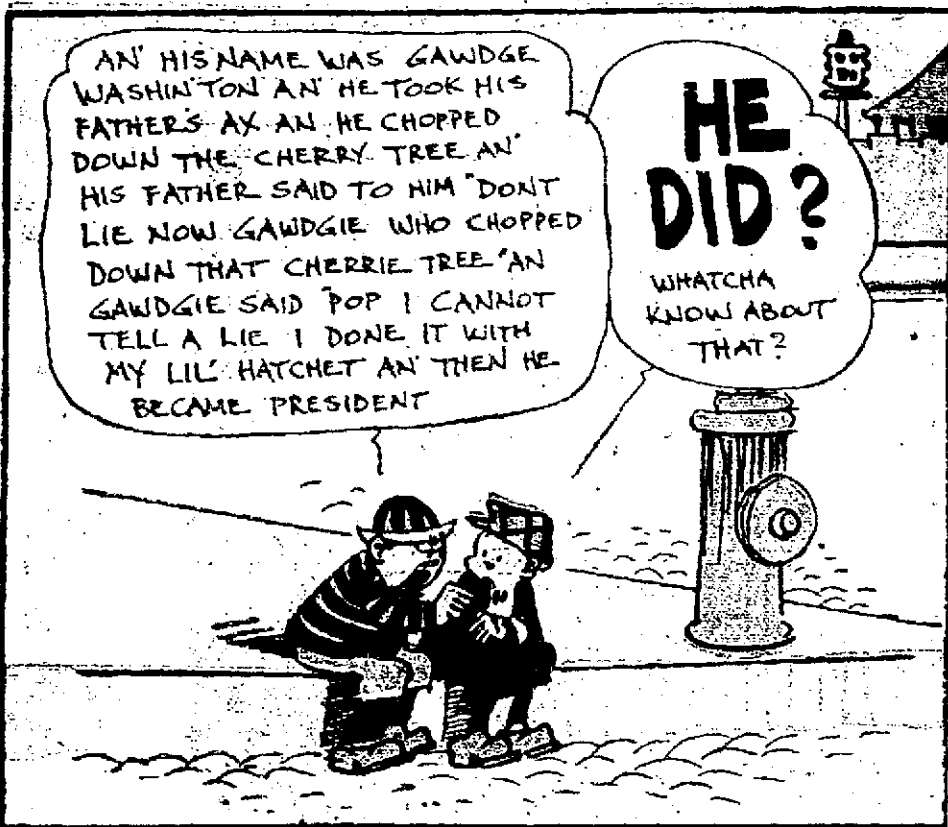
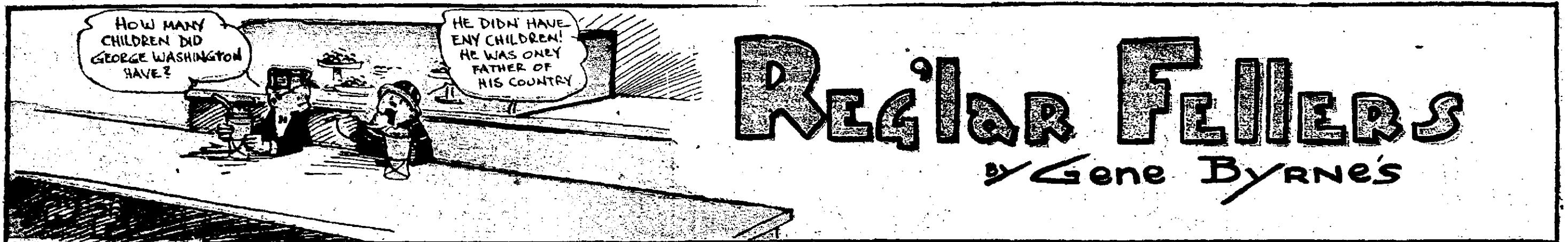
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SHUN IDOLS MRS. HOPPE WARNS GIRLS

Billiard Champion's Wife
Objects to Sharing Her
Husband With the World;
She Also Raps "In-Laws"

By JACK CARBERRY.
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—"The girl who marries a national celebrity is always taking a chance."

Mrs. Alice Hoppe, wife of the world's 152nd billiard champion, Willie Hoppe, who is engaged now in a bitter battle to clear her name and prevent her husband from securing a divorce, today gave this as her belief after fourteen years of married life.

Mrs. Hoppe, tiny, blonde and a musician, is the mother of two children and a daughter of Thomas Walsh, retired garment manufacturer. Her brother, George Walsh, is a noted motion picture star. In an exclusive interview, Mrs. Hoppe said:

"Girls in love with popular idols should remember that the wife must share her hero—he is of the world of sport, the theater or politics—with the world."

"Another thing: In-laws cause trouble in any marriage. But in the case of the national celebrity his relatives become a nightmare to the wife. Brothers, sisters, cousins, uncles and aunts seek to bask in the spotlight of his fame."

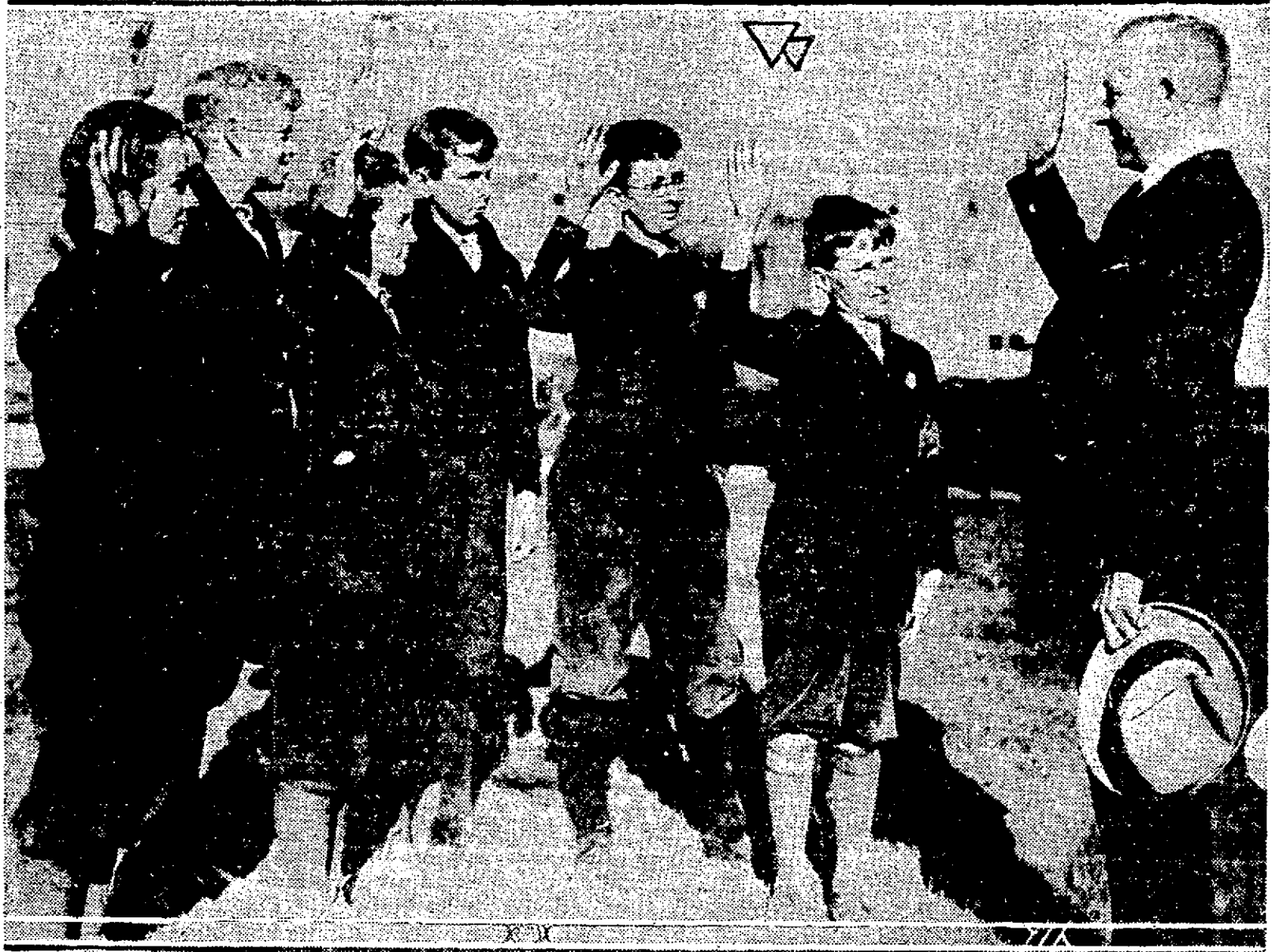
In fact, it is to "in-laws" that Mrs. Hoppe lays her marital unhappiness.

Mrs. Hoppe denied that she was dressed only in a flimsy black slip when found in the room of Edward M. Exner, Chicago clothing salesman, at the Imperial hotel here. She said they were in the room waiting for a girl friend. Exner, a friend of her father, denied there had been anything improper in their friendship.

"Finances played a great part in my domestic unhappiness," Mrs. Hoppe said reminiscently. "My husband earned about \$25,000 a year. He gave me \$1 a day. For six years he and I with our two children, had to live off the bounty of my father. His own relatives demanded most of his earnings."

Traffic Squad's Young "Right Hand Men"

Boys being sworn in by ACTING CHIEF OF POLICE CLARENCE D. LEE of Berkeley as junior traffic officers. The boys are, left to right: CORPORAL RUSSELL GILLIGAN, CORPORAL JAMES SAVAGE, SERGEANT LEONARD BOOTH, CORPORAL NICHOLAS STARRY, SERGEANT CHARLES FISHER and CORPORAL DUNCAN DOUGLAS.



SAN LEANDRO

LEGIONNAIRES AT DANCE.
SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 23.—Members of the local American Legion Post attended the dance given by the Hayward American Legion Post this evening in that city. The delegation remained in Hayward until 10 o'clock and then journeyed to Danville, where they attended a dance given by the Danville American Legion Post.

Tax Expert To Aid San Leandro Council.
SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 23.—C. G. Stafford, well-known tax expert, will be present at a special meeting of the city council Monday evening. He will give an outline on how much it will cost to reassess the taxes in the city of San Leandro. E. H. Williams, chairman of the recently appointed tax committee, will attend and report his information to the committee. Reports on the finances of this city will also be heard.

JUNIOR TRAFFIC WORK GROWING FAST IN SCHOOLS

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—The children of Berkeley are teaching their parents traffic laws. Every school child in the city will be taught the essentials of a safety program inaugurated by the police department under the personal supervision of Acting Chief Clarence D. Lee. School authorities are co-operating with the police program in making the study of traffic laws a part of the regular civics program, and marks in this work will be won on the basis of knowledge shown by pupils.

So far three junior traffic squads have been formed in Berkeley—the Washington and Franklin elementary schools and at the Burbank intermediate high school. As soon as Traffic Chief D. Lee, principal, and his assistant, Clarence Taylor, finish preliminary activities more schools will be organized. Semaphores have been installed at the Franklin and Washington schools, and regulated by specially selected boys. To show their alertness, junior officers have already reported more than a half dozen cases where motorists have refused to stop at their signal, in each instance securing the numbers of the automobiles. Letters have been sent to all violators.

By the organization of the youth of the city into traffic squads, Chief Lee hopes to cut materially the number of accidents in the college city. So successful has been the operation of the semaphores, a device "invented" by Chief Lee and manufactured in the city corporation yards, that numerous requests for "specifications" have been received from the local department. The latest junior traffic squad to be inducted into office and made a recognized part of the police department will watch for the safety of pupils at the Washington school. This squad has as sergeants Leonard Booth and Charles Fisher, both 12 years old, and as corporals Russell Gilligan, 11; James Savage, 12; Nicholas Starry, 11, and Duncan Douglas, 12.

Citizens Plan To Form Safety Council

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—With the date for the holding of a meeting to discuss the problem of reducing traffic hazards in Alameda set for Wednesday night by Mayor Frank Otis, interest in the move has grown to such a pitch that it appears certain that a safety council will be formed. City organization members, and prominent businessmen have been asked to support the plan proposed by Judge L. R. Wainwright.

Chief of Police William Wainwright said today that traffic hazards will be materially reduced when the common cooperation of citizens is obtained for the prevention of carelessness and the control of traffic violations. Chief Wainwright also declared that the addition of two men to the city's traffic squad would greatly aid in securing a safer street condition.

Chemistry Club Officers Named

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—The election of Homer Cries as president of the Alameda high school's Chemistry club was announced today by Dr. George C. Thompson, principal. Other officers of the club elected for the semester are: Flopper Ritten, secretary; J. C. Bosch, treasurer, and H. G. Heals, sergeant at arms.

Fire Followed by Charges of Arson

Formal charges of arson were placed against Herman Kliegerman, junk dealer, 547 Fourth street; Sam Kliegerman, his son, and Lewis Hurst last night in connection with the incendiary fire at the Acme junk yards early Thursday morning.

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UPTOWN LOT BOUGHT AS INVESTMENT

Southwest Corner of Fourteenth and Franklin Sold to Warehouse Man; Confidence in Future of City

Announcement is made that Harvey B. Lyon, of the Lyon Fireproof Warehouse Company, has purchased from Mrs. Hermia Peralta Dargie and Miss Edna F. Patterson, the property near the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Franklin streets. This deal constitutes an important transaction in valuable downtown business property.

Lyon, who states he has bought the property as an investment, in commenting upon the purchase, said:

"I am supremely confident of the future of this city, and consider that the property is especially valuable from the point of view of the many improvements recently made, and to be made, in the heart of the great Oakland business district. Among the improvements which make this property particularly desirable through their proximity, I would mention THE TRIBUNE Tower, now completed, the Oakland Bank building, the new building of the Alameda County for the semester are: Flopper Ritten, secretary; J. C. Bosch, treasurer, and H. G. Heals, sergeant at arms."

The deal was negotiated by Carl H. Nieper, local real estate man.

Pioneer Woman Has Voted Since 1913

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Laura Jane Gerry, 86-year-old California pioneer, so far holds the record as Alameda's oldest registered voter of the present registration campaign. Mrs. Gerry voted at the first election under which women were entitled to vote in California in 1913, and since then, she says, has not missed an election. She is affiliated with the Republican party.

Mrs. Gerry was born in New Portland, Maine, in 1828 and came across the plains in 1847. She still remembers the art of candle-making, weaving homespun and cooking in a brick oven.

FIREMEN RESCUE 7 MEN.
TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 23.—Seven lodgers in the Graystone hotel, 113 Market street, were rescued by firemen today after they had been overcome by smoke in a blaze that practically gutted the five-story brick structure. One fireman was injured by falling glass.

Settlement of Tomb Row Would Disregard Carter

BY UNITED PRESS
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The public will be admitted to the tomb of King Tut Ankh Amen next week, following a forcible entrance into the excavations by authorities of the Egyptian government. Meanwhile it was reported efforts are under way in Cairo to settle the dispute between the Carnarvon estate, which originally held the license for the excavations and the Egyptian government.

According to these reports, the government proposed to re-issue a license to Lady Carnarvon, with additional clauses designed to avoid the difficulties of the past but will ignore Howard Carter, who has been in charge of operations for the Carnarvons.

Pierre Lacaze, director-general of antiquities, superintendent of the forcing of barriers erected around the tomb by Carter after the Egyptologist had refused to surrender the keys.

It was found that the heavy lid of the sarcophagus containing the body of the dead pharaoh was still suspended in mid-air, as it had been left when Carter quit work because of his dispute with the government.

An inventory of the contents of the tomb should be started tomorrow.

Carter is remaining in London awaiting the outcome of legal action in connection with the cancellation of original license held by the Carnarvon expedition.

Alameda Will Try 40-Minute Parking

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—Investigation of the feasibility of 40-minute parking in the business section of the city will be made during the coming week by C. E. Hickok, city manager, who will report his findings to the city council at its meeting March 1. Hickok will question merchants and business men in the business district in order to determine their general opinion on the subject.

Limitation of parking is being considered by the city council as the result of a campaign started by the Alameda Chamber of Commerce. Chamber members claim traffic congestion on Park street would be greatly lessened through the adoption of an ordinance limiting and restricting parking.

Mayor Will Inspect Condemned Property

ALAMEDA, Feb. 23.—Property condemned by the city planning commission, owned by C. Kalkbrenner and located at 2821 Alameda avenue, will be inspected during the coming week by Mayor Frank Otis, Councilman C. C. Adams and C. E. Hickok, city manager. It was announced today. The building, a wooden frame structure, is used as a warehouse and living quarters. According to the city planning commission the building is unsafe and creates a fire menace.

BOY SCOUTS PLAN RALLY FOR FRIDAY

All Members in District Six Will Turn Out in Evening and Hear Program of Talks, Music, New Troops

Boy Scout rally for district No. 6 will be held in the Garfield school next Friday evening. It was announced yesterday by the Scout organization of Oakland. The rally will be for all Boy Scouts in the territory east of Lake Merritt and south of Hopkins street and west of Fruitvale avenue. It embraces troops No. 1, 3, 22, 47, 48, 57 and 58. The program will consist of short talks by Scouts and others and music. It is the first of a series of such rallies in all parts of the city during the remainder of the winter season.

Creation of new troops and dedication of the Lions club cabin at the Scout camp were among the developments of the week. Scout organization of Oakland, San Leandro organized its first troop. San Leandro organized a new one, bringing that city three, and Hayward organized its fifth troop.

Leading members of the Lions club were present Friday afternoon at the ceremony which formally turned over to the Scouts the new cabin built by the club at the camp. It is one of a number of similar cabins donated by organizations and individuals. The cabins have replaced the tents, formerly used to house the boys, and have increased the value of the camp as a year-round place, in which to work and play, according to Scout Executive Homer Cries.

The Ohtokais held a rally and initiated new members at camp during the week. This is an organization of Eagle Scouts which models its ritual along the lines of certain Indian tribes.

March 3 will be "Plant-a-Tree" day at camp. More than a thousand trees will be set out by Scouts to replace those burned last fall. The trees were obtained from the forestry department, and the varieties include catalpa, locust, elm, poplar, ash and cypress.

GARBAGE PLAN UNCHANGED.
SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 23.—The city council will not interfere with the garbage situation, according to an announcement made today by Mayor Allen Felton, chairman of the trustee board. No garbage ordinance will be passed, and the system will go on as it is now being conducted.

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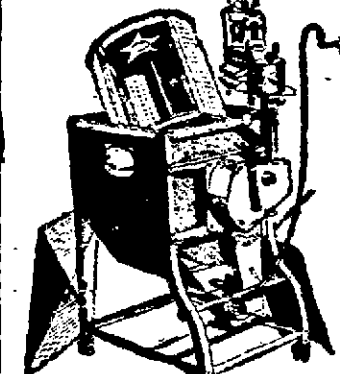
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RESULTS

SODA WATER MEN OF CALIFORNIA TO CONVENE TUESDAY

First State Meeting Set for
Hotel Oakland; Banquet
to Conclude Sessions.

Two hundred members of the California Soda Water Manufacturers' Association will meet in annual convention at the Hotel Oakland Tuesday, at 10 a. m.

This is the first time that a statewide convention of the manufacturers of soda water has been held in California. Heretofore the Northern and Southern California districts have met in separate conventions. However, under a new spirit of cooperation, the two divisions of the state association decided to hold a joint convention, according to I. H. Spiro, chairman of the general arrangements committee.

Luncheon will be served at 12:15 p. m. and in the evening the delegates will enjoy a banquet at the Hotel Oakland arranged under the auspices of the California Soda Water Supply Dealers' Association. The American Bottling Association, 2700 bottlers throughout the United States, will be represented by J. W. Goetze of San Francisco, a member of the national board of directors. Goetze is scheduled to talk.

J. A. Winkles of San Jose is president of the California Soda Water Manufacturers' Association and Clyde Lightbody of San Francisco is secretary. Lightbody is also editor of the Pacific Bottler, the official publication of the California bottlers.

Assisting Spiro in arranging for the convention program and entertainment are Jack Olse, William Lang and Clyde Lightbody.

Wives of the delegates and their families will be entertained at a theater party at the Orpheum Tuesday evening. Wednesday will be devoted to seeing the Eastbay. The delegates will be taken on a trip over the famous Skyline Boulevard to the University of California and other points of interest in the Eastbay district.

Los Angeles is sending a delegation to attend the convention, according to Spiro.

Huge Saving in Pest Control Is Claimed

HAYWARD, Feb. 23.—How modern and scientific peach root borer control methods introduced by the University of California extension service, is resulting in a saving of hundreds of dollars annually to the orchardists of Alameda county, is explained by Russell T. Robinson, farm adviser.

Previously, says Robinson, it cost the agriculturist from \$1.00 to \$1.50 to treat each tree infected with the borer, and only a 25 per cent cure was effected. Through the present method, however, the individual tree costs about 4 cents, with more than a 90 per cent cure resulting.



Fiery, Itching Skin Cleared With Sulphur

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

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Real Games for Real Kids



ROPE RUSH.

Dear Punch:
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You see it is a new fangled form of tug of war. But it is not the same old orderly game that you have seen with two tug of war teams. It is more a mad scramble and more a rough house. You get the idea, don't you?

The rope lies there about twenty feet from your line and all that you have to do is to get and take it across your goal line. There may be some slight opposition from the other team, but if you move fast and are not too gentle you may win.

ROPE RUSH is a good gymnasium game. It is all right out doors, but a little rough on clothes. Don't forget it when summer comes, for it is good sport on a bench.

So long,
THE PLAY MAN.
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LABOR NOTES

The official call for the annual convention of the State Building Trades Council of California, which will convene at Sacramento on Monday, March 17, has been issued by President Frank MacDonald and Secretary A. G. Gilson. Indications are that the convention will be the biggest and best in the history of the State Building Trades Council of California, having been called by practically every organization eligible to representation in the convention will be represented by its full quota of delegates.

For weeks the Sacramento convention committee, composed of representatives of all the labor organizations in the city, have been working day and night arranging for the comfort and entertainment of the convention delegates, with the result that a program of entertainment has been arranged which is not elaborate and includes many novel and interesting features.

One of the features of the convention week will be a big public mass meeting at one of the largest auditoriums in Sacramento, at which State President Frank C. MacDonald will be the principal speaker, with local addresses by Archie J. Mooney, general organizer for the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, and other labor men.

State Secretary-Treasurer A. G. Gilson has been in Sacramento this week conferring with the convention committee regarding plans for the big convention.

Frank C. MacDonald, general president of the State Building Trades Council of California, was the principal speaker at a convention of carpenters held in the Municipal auditorium last November. The convention was held for the purpose of helping to promote a spirit of cooperation among the different carpenters' locals in

FARM PICNIC OF UNIVERSITY SET FOR APRIL TENTH

Annual Affair At Davis To
Eclipse Former Meetings
Is Forecast.

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—Saturday, April 10, has been selected as the date of the sixteenth annual University of California farm picnic.

The picnic, which have been held for sixteen years, serve to attract thousands of visitors to the University farm. Among the features of this year's picnic will be an unusually interesting parade consisting of floats representing the work of the various divisions, student organizations and other activities, together with some of the prize-winning livestock which has made the University farm herd famous throughout the world.

Every effort is being made, according to the committee in charge, to make the educational exhibit especially attractive and worth while. Last year the visitors at the picnic were able to secure a large amount of interesting and useful information from the exhibits and displays presented by the various divisions. Stock judging contests for visiting high school teams will be one of the major attractions.

Discussing the picnic, an announcement from the college of agriculture says:

"Everyone who possibly can should visit the University farm and become better acquainted with this serviceable branch of the University of California. On picnic day the entire farm, including all laboratories and barns, is especially prepared for the reception of visitors. The entire student body acts as host and makes it a prime duty to see that everyone has an opportunity to get acquainted with the institution and have a good time. Athletic contests, dancing, motion pictures, and other amusements and educational exhibits will all help the guests to enjoy themselves.

Thompson is a member of Carpenters and Joiners Union, Local 38, and has been actively identified in the local trade union movement for several years past. Thompson will be unable to take the vacation for several weeks to come.

James Peake, a member of the International Molders Union, Local No. 184, of Oakland, died during the past week. Peake was a very young man and had a host of friends in the labor movement who will mourn his passing.

At the last meeting of the Bakery and Confectionery Union, Local No. 119, the membership was unanimous in its opposition to a return to night baking. The union states that the night baking plan has been rejected in Europe and in the United States. The officials of the organization claim that with night baking there would be less vigilance by the health bureau and the departments of weights and measures. Several of the local unions have advised the Bakery Union that they have adopted resolutions condemning the idea of the restoration of the night baking system.

Richard Small, secretary of the Brotherhood of Teamsters and Chauffeurs Union Local No. 70, of Oakland, has been advised by International President James C. Conn that 3000 members of Teamsters Union, Local No. 731, of Chicago, Ill., have suspended work to enforce a wage increase of 81 cents a day and reduce the work day from nine hours to eight hours.

A conference of striking bill posters was held during the past week with the representatives of a large outdoor advertising concern, and a settlement will be arrived at in a few days. Representatives of several central bodies participated in the conference. The bill posters have now been on strike for nearly a month.

The Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses Union, Local No. 31, will postpone their next regular business meeting this coming Thursday evening to meet an address which will be delivered by Walter Thomas Mills. Mills will use as his subject "The Labor Party in America." Mills is a well known lecturer and the committee in charge headed by John Altman has been actively engaged in the membership, calling their attention to the lecture. The public is invited. Mills will start talking at 8:30 p. m. in the headquarters at Twenty-second and Grove streets.

At the last regular meeting of the Central Labor Council Secretary Spooner reported many new affiliations. Spooner is bringing all organizations into the council and is meeting with very good success. The unions that will affiliate with the council commencing March 1, 1924, are as follows: Sheet Metal Workers Union, Local No. 254; Material Teamsters Union, Local No. 507; Sheet Metal Workers Union, Local No. 216.

Spooner is also endeavoring to have the labor ladies auxiliaries send fraternal delegates to the council and states that the indications are that all of the auxiliaries are that all of the auxiliaries

CAMPFIRE GIRLS PREPARING FOR 1924 ACTIVITIES

Berkeley Council Lists Needs
Which Must Be Faced in
Year's Work.

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—The Berkeley Council of Campfire Girls, following the annual meeting of that organization held recently with Dr. Aurelia Henry Reinhardt, president of Mills College, as the guest of honor, have prepared for an active year's work.

Mrs. W. H. Marston, president for the past year, has been re-elected director of the activities of the Berkeley council, while Mrs. Edith M. K. Tibbitts again has been named first vice-president. Dr. Edna W. Bailey of University High School and Miss Elizabeth Kelly of Berkeley High School, were added to the council, while Dr. Bailey, Miss Kelly, Mrs. R. G. Gebbels, Mrs. Marie Gagnebin and Miss Georgia Foster were named to the board of directors. Other officers and directors who will serve in another year are: Mrs. C. W. Whitner, vice-president; George Bruce treasurer; Rev. T. J. Brennan, Mrs. Fowler Mallett, Mrs. Joseph Sinclair, Mrs. Sue Smith, Miss Anne Woodall, Nellie Moore, O. Donoghue and Professor C. E. Rugh directors.

Miss Ada Hillman, executive secretary of the Berkeley council, in her annual report, spoke of the need for more guardians, Blue Bird leaders and of service of various kinds. A plan is needed for headquarters, she declared, while clerical assistance was also desired.

In her address to the seventy guests assembled at the dinner, Dr. Reinhardt praised the work of the Campfire organization which, she said, fills a real and general need because father is too busy with his work or at the office, and mother is too busy at meetings and clubs or earning a living to teach her the household arts.

will have fraternal delegates to the council at an early date.

The East Bay Auto Mechanics Union Local No. 1546, has received an invitation to attend a smoker and entertainment which will be given by the San Jose union of auto mechanics on Friday evening, February 28. International Vice President James Thorpe of the Machinists' Union will be the principal speaker. At the recent meeting Business Representative Harry Bryant reported that the local is in a very prosperous condition and that from all indications a very busy season is in store for organized auto mechanics. A special called meeting of the union will be held the next Thursday evening, March 7, for the purpose of taking up several important matters submitted by the International union. All members are requested to be in attendance at the meeting.

At the last regular meeting of the Material Teamsters Union, Local No. 507, Business Representative Earl T. Armstrong reported that the material teamsters employed in the Oakland Street Department had recently received an increase of 50 cents per day. The union extended a unanimous vote of thanks to Comptroller of Public Works J. Baccus for his aid in the matter.

Armstrong reported that Timothy E. Code, a member of the organization, had died recently from tuberculosis and was buried in Santa Clara cemetery. Code was a long time member of the union, passed away recently. The union also decided to affiliate with the Central Labor Council, commencing March 1.

A regular meeting of the board of directors of the Oakland Labor Temple was held last Saturday and one of the principal matters taken up was the consideration of the plan for the new building to be built by the association's architect. The plans call for a five-story Class A building on the present site of the labor temple and when completed will add one more beautiful building to Oakland's progressive building program. It is the desire of the directors of the association to commence building operations within the next few months. Earl Code, president of the association, presided at the meeting.

The Cooks, Waiters and Waitresses Union, Local No. 31, have instructed William A. Spooner, president of the union, to attend a meeting of the San Jose Central Labor Council for the purpose of discussing a matter that affects the welfare of the local union.

N. G. Lindgren, secretary for the Stationary Engineers Union, Local No. 507, who has been on a vacation in Europe for some months past, has written the organization advising that he will be back home some time in March. Lindgren is attending the sessions of the Congress as a visitor. Lindgren has been secretary of the local union of engineers for the past 12 years, and some months ago decided to take a trip to several cities in Sweden. Lindgren visited the largest countries in Europe, and according to his letter has made a minute survey of labor conditions in the countries visited.

A communication is being sent to all fraternal organizations and churches by the Early Closing League of California, requesting the organizations to join the early closing movement which is being fostered by the league. In the communication to the churches attention is called to the fact that if people are compelled to labor after 5 o'clock evenings they will not be physically fit to attend to their respective religious obligations. The same applies to the people who are members of fraternal organizations, according to the letter now being sent out by James Griffin, secretary for the local league, states that he is receiving the active cooperation of the largest stores in Oakland in the present campaign.

James Feely recently elected business representative for Plasterers' Union, Local No. 8, made his initial report to the membership of the organization at the meeting of Thursday evening. Feely stated that conditions in the plastering industry are in a very good condition.

ACTIVITIES AMONG NEGROES BY Delilah C. Beasley

During the past week the Pythian sanitarium committee has been holding sessions in Chicago. This commission represents men who are officers of the national and international organization of Colored Knights of Pythian lodges. The object of this meeting has been to consider plans and bids for the construction of a national Pythian temple in Chicago. This structure will cost a million and a quarter dollars.

The personnel of the commission follows: Edward Green, Chicago, secretary; Dr. C. C. Wade, of Hot Springs, Ark.; Lee Crawford, New York; W. D. Williams, Texas; S. M. Green, New Orleans, supreme chancellor; Dr. G. W. Stearns, Georgia; Dr. J. B. Tinsley, Indianapolis, vice chancellor; Dr. A. A. Wesley, Chicago, grand chancellor of Illinois; S. A. T. Watkins, Chicago, supreme attorney; Dr. E. E. Underwood, Kentucky, supreme keeper of records and seals; Dr. C. B. Wickham, Oklahoma; W. W. Andrews, Florida, and Major R. R. Jackson, Illinois, major general of the grand lodge.

This commission had charge of the building of the Pythian bath house and sanitarium at Hot Springs, Ark., which cost \$175,000.

Friends and graduates of Howard university will be pleased to know that the interior department appropriation bill has been reported favorably to the senate committee on appropriations. This bill carried a substantial sum for Howard university and the senate added an additional appropriation for Freedman hospital.

Frances H. Gow, organist at the Tuskegee Institute and president of the African Students' Union in America, announced that the annual meeting of the African Students' Union will be held Feb. 22-23, Natives of Africa, who are students in American schools, colleges and universities, and representatives of mission boards, churches and other organizations carrying on educational and religious work in Africa are expected to be present.

John H. Washington, brother to the late Booker T. Washington, died at Tuskegee, Alabama. He was for thirty years actively engaged in his brother's Tuskegee Institute.

Colored people in New York city and state are mourning the death of Miss Susie Elizabeth Frazier, a teacher for thirty years in the public schools of New York city. She was the first colored teacher in mixed schools in that city. After the World War when New York Telegram inaugurated a contest among teachers in the public schools for trips to the European battle fields to be awarded to the most popular teachers, Miss Frazier was one of the winners and made the trip with other teachers, making a special visit to the graves containing the bodies of members of the 6888 Central Postal Directory, a Negro regiment. Miss Frazier was one of the organizers of the Women's Auxiliary to the 363rd regiment and served as its president until her death.

and assured the members of a prosperous building season. Feely was recently elected business representative to take the place of Michael J. McDonough, who was elected international vice president of the International Union, at the recent convention in Texas. McDonough is now in the South attending to official business, and will shortly make a trip throughout the East in the interest of his organization.

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Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store, a bottle of Wreth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of men and women recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair perfectly, and besides, no one can tell because it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking a few strands at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears. After an application of two or three days the color is restored, and you appear years younger.—Advertisement.

COTTON PLANTER HAS ODD PLAN TO KILL BOLL WEEVIL

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 23.—Claiming that after years of study he has discovered a new method of destroying the boll weevil, E. St. Amant, a New Orleans florist, has invited government agents, studying this enemy of the Southern cotton farmer, to make an inspection of his method.

"I have studied the weevil," said St. Amant, "and have learned that for about one month during the life of the adult in the summer it is bothered by light—so much so that it won't work on the cotton bolls in strong sunlight."

"Working on this observation, I fixed up a fire in the field around a strong light, with a contrivance that will kill the weevil the instant he reaches the light. Following my experiment I have seen them lying dead by the millions around the light."

"One light will clean them out of a field two or three acres square. I found that it will kill a lot of other pests, too. It would surprise a planter to be shown the great quantity and variety of destructive insects that are found at the base of this light after one night's operation."

St. Amant declared that if the government agents find his experiment practicable he will place it at the disposal of the government.



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FALL

is something you have read a lot about lately. The one we speak about, however, is not the one of the Teapot Dome fame but the kind that almost everyone of us has had in an accidental way sometime in our life. For example: Fall down steps or stairs—fell from a street car or automobile—a slip on a wet pavement or sidewalk resulting in a fall—falling out of bed or stumbling and falling over furniture at night—a fall due to a practical joker's idea of amusement pulling a chair from under you. How many of us can say from our childhood to the present time we have never had a fall? When you think back you will recall many. Do they mean anything to you? Probably not, but if you are sick in any way those same falls that you have almost forgotten are in the majority of cases the direct cause of your present sickness or poor health.

Why do you always try to protect your head when you fall? The seat of life is there. How does this life get out of the head into the body? Through the spine. Why do you have cartilage cushions between all the bones in the spine? To absorb all shocks to the brain and nervous system from falls or injuries. It is for this reason all falls or other external concussions of force have a direct bearing on your health. The fall destroys the small cartilage cushions in the spine, throw the small segments of bone out of alignment causing a direct pressure on the nerves that carry life to the many parts of your body. Weakness of this kind if not corrected brings on sickness or disease while on the other hand if these troubles are corrected sickness or disease disappears.

Conditions such as the following: Headaches, Loss of Pep, Constipation, Insomnia, Heart Trouble, Numbness, Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Trouble, Liver Trouble, Internal Ulcers, Abscesses, Tumors, Diabetes, Dropsy, Appendicitis, Lumbago, Paralysis, Menstrual Troubles and many others respond quickly to Chiropractic Adjustments. When you come to our office we take an X-Ray Photograph of your spine bearing your name, free of charge or obligation in any way, to determine the possibility of correction. After finding your trouble in this way we correct the condition with our hands alone, using no vibrators, violet ray, massages or any other adjunct in our work, just our hands and your spine. We do not keep you from your work or play and the work is not painful in any way. Be as prejudiced as you wish but first allow us to X-Ray and examine you before you say you can't be helped. It does not cost you a cent to find out—all we ask is a chance to prove our claims that adjustments of your spine following an X-Ray will restore your health even though other methods have failed. No students to work on you. Only the best—Palmer Chiropractors. If you are sick, use coupon below.

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IOWA MAN, 106, DISLIKES RADIO BUT LIKES GIRLS

Women's Faces Never Prettier, Says Jonathan Foulke; Shies From Phone.

By WILLIAM G. CALCE,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—On early, old-fashioned square dances and many other things have waxed and waned during the life of Jonathan Foulke, 106 years old and from Iowa, who "winters" in Los Angeles.

Telephones, railroads and automobiles have come into their own since Foulke first began to notice things on his father's farm in Mercer county, Pennsylvania. Most of Foulke's friends and companions never heard of jazz or the radio.

"SEEN A LOT."

"Yes, I've seen a lot in my time," Foulke observed, "and I'm going to see a great deal more." Foulke, along with his age, has the distinction of never having seen a motion picture show, heard a radio, and he contented himself with having talked over the telephone once. He takes his pleasure in the simpler things such as newspaper reading, which he can do without the aid of spectacles; in the companionship of children and seeing the faces of pretty women.

Although Foulke declares he never saw women's styles worse than they are today he says their faces were never prettier. Foulke is a favorite with the children in his neighborhood and plays and talks with them, as he moves among them in his wheel chair with the aid of a crutch.

ALL BRASS BANDS!

"Why should I like to hear on the radio?" he asks. "Good old brass bands are far better, and I can hear them on my phonograph." "I was fifteen years old and living at Morris, Illinois, when the first railroad was put through there," he said. "The town was deserted and empty, except at the railroad station, where everyone had gathered for the big event."

Foulke said he had traveled from Pennsylvania to Illinois by wagon, carried "forty" large loads. "When Chicago was a frog swamp and Des Moines was nothing but a fort. Nobody new anything about California then."

Twenty-five Presidents of the United States have been elected during Foulke's lifetime, he claims; and Monroe, the fifth President, was in office when he was born. Foulke says he is a Democrat and that his favorite Chief Executives have been Washington, Monroe, Lincoln and Garfield.

During the Civil War Foulke was wounded and still carries a piece of lead under his right arm—a "token" from the Rebels, he says. Doctors have wanted to remove it, he says, but he let it remain there as a "keepsake."

Active and in good health, Foulke admits frankly that he is full of "thunder" and that one of his uncles lived to be 115 years old. It runs in the family, he claims. "I never drink, smoke or chew," he declared. "I don't get mad either for when a person does that he is certain to say things." Foulke made his first trip to California six years ago.

Rebels Rally As City Is Captured

By UNITED PRESS
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

LAREDO, Feb. 23.—The crying flames of the de la Huerta rebellion flared up again today. Unconfirmed reports received here from the interior told of the capture of Laredo by rebel troops under General Morans after a three-hour battle.

Rebel General Romero is reported to have entered Toluca, driving out the federal garrison. General Sanchez Menar is said to have defeated the federal forces of General Topere, capturing 100 men, at Los Pados station.

Hindenburg Refuses To Aid Ludendorff

By Universal Service,
Leased Wire to TRIBUNE.

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—Pressure has been brought to bear upon General von Hindenburg in an effort to get him to prevent the forthcoming trial of General Ludendorff. The general refused, according to a statement in the Lokal Anzeiger today.

"I consider such attempts criminal," the general said. "But I am firmly convinced that the trial will reveal that Ludendorff acted as a patriot in the Bavarian revolt."

Prominent Shipping Board Men To Resign

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 (By International News Service).—William J. Love and Joseph E. Sheedy, vice-presidents of the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation, are soon to resign, it was learned here tonight.

Love and Sheedy are understood to contemplate leaving the shipping board because of recent salary reductions and friction in connection with the recent reorganization of the board by President Coolidge.

Manila Democrats Support Gen. Wood

By International News Service,
Leased Wire to TRIBUNE.

MANILA, Feb. 23.—After heated discussion the Democratic national convention today elected Governor Montinola of Tinian province party president. Governor Montinola and all other new party officers and directors are favorable to Governor General Wood.

A shipment of paintings valued at \$1,000,000 was recently shipped from San Francisco to New York by the motorship Californian.

If no immigrants were admitted into the United States, the population would double in eighty years at the present increase rate.

An Italian art magazine claims that a "novelty" machine has been built in its efficiency than Venus de Milo.

S. F. Suicide Blamed Upon "Prohibition"

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Prohibition and ill health were blamed by Charles Helbig, 63-year-old janitor, of 128 Mangels street, who committed suicide at his home this afternoon. Taking advantage of the absence of his wife on a shopping expedition, Helbig wrote a few words on a piece of paper which he placed under the sill of the front door. Then he attached a tube to a gas fixture, sat down and inhaled the fumes. His message read: "Prohibition and sickness is the cause of it."

Up to a week ago when he had a fall and became incapacitated Helbig had been a janitor for the Pacific Telephone company.

Political Debacle In Spain Predicted

By Universal Service,
Leased Wire to TRIBUNE.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—The political situation in Spain is desperate and a smashup which will end in the fall of the present dictatorship is inevitable. This is the opinion of President Besteiro of the Spanish socialist party who stopped in Paris today en route to London where he will confer with Premier Ramsay MacDonald.

In case the present government collapses, he said, the socialists might succeed to power in much the same way the labor party did in England though the Spanish socialists were not very strong at the present time.

Burglar Suspect In Piedmont Nabbed

John Miller, 29, was arrested by Policemen Barrett and Hansen of the Piedmont police department today, and is being held for investigation in the Piedmont jail.

He is suspected by the police of being the burglar who entered the home of H. F. Bugh, 201 El Cerrito avenue, Piedmont, on February 1.

Jewelry valued at \$1000 was found in Miller's possession. Miller, according to the police, is a drug addict.

Old Ball Magnate Dies at Syracuse

By Associated Press,
Leased Wire to TRIBUNE.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 23.—George N. Kuntze, famed for years as a leading billiard player, and known also as president of the Syracuse Baseball club in the old International and the New York State leagues, died today. He passed 18 years in minor league baseball and retired with a record of never having had a second division club.

HUSBAND TOLD TO APPRECIATE WIFE'S MERITS

Philadelphia Preacher Tells
What It Takes to Make
a "Good Husband."

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—The man who qualifies as a good husband is one with a good memory, and one who is appreciative, honorable, generous and a good provider.

This is the answer of the Rev. Christian G. Koppel, noted local pastor, to the question "What Sort of Man Makes a Good Husband?" Recently he answered the question "What Sort of a Woman Makes the Best Wife?"

Dr. Koppel condoned flattery in the make-up of a husband. "Tell your wife how beautiful she is," was his advice to Benefactors. "It may be stretching the truth, but God will not hold it against you."

"It is a poor sort of husband," he continued, "who invariably notices the fetching gown of another woman, but is blind to his own wife's efforts to make herself attractive. Appreciation makes a man a good husband. The life of the average woman is a life sentence at hard work. It means endless sacrifice and one never-ending round of cooking, washing, cleaning, sewing, sick nursing and baby tending, and the only thing that makes it worth while is for the husband to show he appreciates her."

Memory is another asset, Dr. Koppel said. It is a fact that especially among married men, he advised husbands to simulate premarriage blindness if they have since discovered faults in their wives and to give them a few of the kind words they were liberal with in courtship days.

"A good husband also must have honor and be liberal," according to the pastor. "A man ought to be as particular in keeping his marriage vows as he is in keeping his business contracts. A man comes to the sacred altar without having read the marriage ceremony, gives his word in a most solemn promise to abide and keep the marital vows, who would never dream of signing a business contract without first carefully considering the terms."

"Every husband should make his wife a partner in spending the

LONG WAR OVER EUGENIE ESTATE NEARS ARMISTICE

Prince Victor Napoleon Offers to Settle \$1,000,000
Claims as Heir.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—The long dispute over the settlement of Empress Eugenie's estate may be ended if parliament passes a bill which has just been submitted by the French government. The civil tribunal of the Seine decided in 1894 that the estate still owed the empress more than \$1,000,000 on account of the old civil list and adjudged that this sum be used to pay death duties. This judgment was not carried out as parliament did not vote the necessary credits.

Prince Victor Napoleon, in the name of his daughter, Princess Marie-Clotilde, who inherited the property held by the Empress Eugenie in France at the time of her death, proposed, it is stated, that the sum should be devoted to the payment of death duties, at the same time declaring that he would give up the grounds of La Naplaison to the state, and also the house and chapel of Bonaparte at Ajaccio, which are his personal property. He asked in return for the restitution of a marble clock which belonged to Queen Hortense, and for a sword which belonged to Napoleon I, when he was first consul.

weekly income. A good husband must qualify as a good father. It takes more than a woman to make a home. But many a man thinks his contribution to home-making is done when he buys the food and pays the rent."

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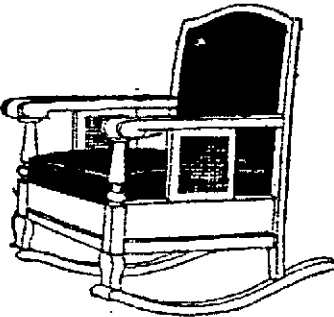
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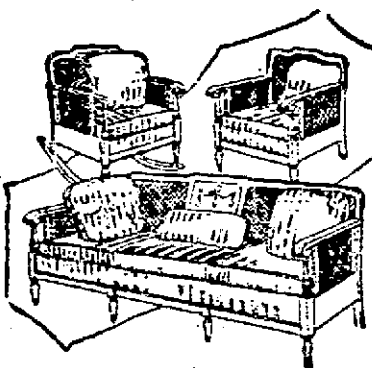
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**'VOTE LIGHT AS
BONDS GET O.K.
AT SANTA ROSA**

Issue of \$165,000 Will Be Used to Build Sewage Disposal Plant

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 23.—Only 1202 persons, or less than ten per cent of the population of Santa Rosa, voted in the special sewer bond election here, when a \$165,000 bond issue was approved by five to one. The money is to be used in building a new sewage disposal plant.

A C. Castle has filed suit here to annul the marriage of his daughter, Almata, to Robert J. Williams, on the ground that the girl was only 17 and did not have the consent of her parents when she married Williams in Healdsburg last November.

A legal fight on the part of the California Prune and Apricot Growers' Association to enforce delivery of prunes from H. W. Hosmer, Hoedsburg rancher and a member of the association, assumed new phase today with the filing of an attachment against Hosmer's ranch in an effort to collect \$5000 damages. The association contends that it has been damaged to that extent by Hosmer's refusal to abide by his contract. Mrs. A. P. Cochran, from whom Hosmer leases the ranch, is made a co-defendant.

Local relatives and friends have received word from San Francisco of the deaths within a few hours of each other of Mr. and Mrs. Otis R. Harrell, both of whom succumbed Wednesday to attacks of heart disease. The Harrells were related to a number of Sonoma county people, including Mrs. T. Boone Miller, Mrs. J. P. Miller; and Mrs. Spencer Grogan of this city. Mrs. Laura Barlow of Sebastopol, Mrs. Lottie Parnell of Graton, Mrs. Rena Ballard of Green Valley, and Mrs. Sam Purinton of Graton.

your cat-captain. 'Mayor of Carmel, and leader of the artists who are preparing an exodus.' Rank flattery! I am not mayor, leader nor preparer of any exodus. Even the portrait 'above' has been touched up in some newspaper or department to give me a rolling Etrusque collar and a more flowing and artistic tie.

"But not for that I would I stuck
pin in the wonder-blown balloon
of romance and had not a slogan
on your cover caught my eye,
would stay silent and let the Joun-
nales legend of Carmel continue to
expand with wind. But you are
the 'Chronicle of the Neglected
Truth,' and nowhere has romance
thrived and truth met greater
neglect than here in Carmel.
"Until now it is difficult to find a

truth, a single fact, in the frequent stories of our town. Let me say now that every untruth published in your paper has been published before in other papers. Some of the misstatements have traveled all over the country. I have read lies about Carmel in Paris, and untruths and clippings have been sent me from Australia. Then, having given you and Mr. Dunn an alibi let me point out the things that are not true in your article.

The basic fact, the reason of the story, that there is an exodus of artists, is imaginary. The story is a fiction, a piece of journalism. The *El Espectador* newspaper by a Monterrey reporter, who was woefully short on Christmas money, the tailored it out of whole cloth, and then, in an effort to give it an air of authenticity that they would be too busy to read or deny the thing. He selected Norey's Landing as the place where the artists had once been cramped there. The causes for the exodus were as much a figment of his brain as the migration itself. There, and there alone, he found the elements of modernism in Carabet. Water pipes and bath rooms, electric wires and bulbs, were as odd as the town itself. He was not to be faulted for using the time to fabricate the artists. An exodus was as far from the thoughts of writers and artists as much a thing of mist as

was due to the fact that the duello is but myth. Once several years ago, a writer of popular fiction exchanged blows with a retired hotel proprietor, just as men used to do in the old days. The simple affair of fist-fights was dignified into a duel by the sensational San Francisco newspapers, thus starting the legend of the code.

Dr. George Comstock, soldier of fortune, actor, author and playwright, — each of which titles he will indignantly deny — raised his voice in reply to a question by Dr. George Comstock, in a recent issue of the *Forward*, in a way that made it a challenge to a duel. I have never seen a duel in my life. I have never seen even a fist-fight in Carmel. Our code is as practical as the code of the East, and as "originally formulated" for the infant metropoles of the Alps are all little brain-formations of yellow journalism and, of course, the American mind.

Dr. George Comstock never hesitated. I didn't defend the law of duels, or hear of it until I read it in a San Francisco daily; and it was all a part of the legend of the mythical knight, the romantic and artistic and the initial romance of the town.

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SANTA ROSA, Feb. 23.—Bobbed hair has been the fashion of the wife of Mrs. Charrman London, widow of James London, who has returned to the famous London ranch in the Valley of the Moon after a year's trip abroad. "Everywhere I went while abroad I found bobbed locks to predominate, especially with the younger set, and I concluded this the wearing of short hair has come to stay. I myself have visited the barber yet but one or never felt when that would happen while abroad," Mrs. London was charged for the translation and the introduction of her own books for foreign countries.

speaks of the nialgarism of
Christopher Booth of Alice Mac-
Gowan and my collaboration. "The
Boston Herald" has a long article
today. "So far nothing has happen-
ed to Mr. Booth, but Mr. Newb-
old and Miss MacGowan certainly
will. The instances in the newspaper
are a lot of times. At the same time
I am choked with seeking more ad-
vancing. I must say that we had
Booth brought to trial before
the grand jury of the State of
America, and that committee
composed of Ellis Parker But-
ler, Frederic Burgess, Charles B. Cow-
dell, and others, who have
found him guilty and senten-
ced him to pay to our publishers a
total amount he had received
from the Boston Herald. The
publishers in the Boston
Herald and Mr. Booth is pay-
ing; and we pressed the matter
for the benefit of every writer, who
has been so abused. I have
protection as any output of an
author. Very sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

TRACY LEGION TAKES OPTION ON SITE FOR HOME

TRACY, Feb. 23.—A new home for James McCormick Post, American Legion, is the plan of the organization. The first step is a first step the organization has optioned for the purchase of the lot on West Tenth street between the homes of Mrs. Alta L. Powers and Mrs. E. E. and Mrs. J. W. Jones. Just when the building will be begun is a matter of conjecture but the members of the Legion who have been behind the movement to acquire the lot are anxious as soon as the organization can be incorporated. This work has already been started and will be pushed to completion without delay.

While no definite plan has been made as to the size of the structure active members of the post are sure that the building will probably be 60x60, and part of that space will be covered with a two-

The lot negotiated for is the property of Mrs. Bramman of Oakland and has a frontage of 56 feet with a depth of 162 and a half feet. The purchase price to be paid is \$15,500 which is claimed to be well under the market for property of a like location.

It will require a number of weeks before the post works out a definite building plan but members insist that the structure will be erected some time during the summer.

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MOUNT LASSEN BOY SCOUTS ARE GIVEN CHARTER

CHICO, Feb. 23.—The Mount Lassen district, twelfth region, Boy Scouts of America, received its charter from the national headquarters at New York City at a banquet here at the Hotel Hamilton. Representatives from three counties comprising the districts of Butte, Tehama and Glenn, were present together with prominent citizens from Chico, Sacramento, Oakland and Sacramento.

H. E. Nichols, president of the council, opened the conclave with a history of the Mount Lassen district, formed January 1, 1924. It made California 100 per cent Boy Scout. Nichols acting as chairman, introduced the various speakers, all of whom carried out messages from their peers. Among the present were C. C. Moore of San Francisco; James Boyd of Glenn county; J. D. Storm of Tehama county; James Boyd of Butte; Marion C. Smith, county librarian; R. W. Faulstich, president of the Sacramento district; Hon. Peter J. Shields, superior judge of California; and J. H. Miller, Scout executive of the Twelfth region district.

A new paving program for Chicago embracing all of the streets and alleys between First and Fifth streets and between Madison and Dearborn streets, was approved by the city council last night. The Southern Pacific railroad was practically assured when residents of the district gathered in the council chambers and gave their approval to the plan by a unanimous dissenting vote. The meeting had been called by the city council for the purpose of giving property owners in the district an opportunity to be heard on the proposed program. Mayor C. C. Richardson called interested persons to state their attitude on the types of pavement. The choice of paving material was left in the hands of the council and was approved by unanimous consent of those present at the meeting.

aged bootleggers of Chico, were fined \$500 by Superior Judge H. D. Gregory when they pleaded guilty to a charge of selling intoxicating liquor in violation of the Wright act. Coles and Hill paid a fine of \$500 in the police court for possession of the booze and were imprisoned for sale of the liquor in the same town.

Will Present Drama
BUCKLEY, Feb. 23.—A "Dramatic Pot-Pourri," with four one-act plays as the bill, will be presented Tuesday evening at Cordorices club under the direction of M. C. Goodward.
"Asph," a rural play of quiet humor; "The Soul Call," a riotous farce; of Stephen Leacock's; "The Golden Arrow," a colorful romance of old days; and "The Craft," a comedy of the present. The cast has been selected to reveal the talents of club members among whom are: Mary Hixon, A. J. Mervy, Gilbert Sullivan, Clarence Dodge, Frank M. Calkins, Mrs. H. H. Fowler, Mrs. J. Ambler, Roy Marsh, Mrs. G. George R. Stevens, R. A. Riges, Frances Ruchholm, Mrs. Charles Wendland and Edna Grebs.

Harold Ward, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Burr Ward, formerly well-known residents here, died at the family home in Los Angeles Wednesday, according to word received here.

Thomas B. Ward, who for more than 30 years a school teacher in Sonoma county, is dead at the age of 76 years. He was a native of Missouri, but came to California in 1874, and he was 36 years old when he survived by his widow and the following children: Miss Nancy E. Ward, a school teacher here; Mr. Harry Ward of Allegheny, Cal.; Mrs. Fred E. Warner of Cameron, Mo.; Mrs. Paul Denton of Elgin, Mo.; and Charles D. Ward of San Jose.

EXCAVATION FOR U. S. HOSPITAL IS NEARLY FINISHED

LIVERMORE, Feb. 23.—Construction operations on the United State Veterans hospital at Cresta Blanca, near here, are progressing rapidly and much of the excavation work connected with the 24 building has been completed. . . .

Thirty carpenters have been at work constructing temporary office headquarters for the contractors. A crew of electricians and plumbers under the supervision of J. W. Latourrette-Fical Co., of Sacramento, have started work on the electrical and plumbing contract. A steam shovel is now in use excavating gravel, to be used in the construction work, from the creek bed.

A camp for the workmen to be employed on the Hetch Hetchy Power transmission line which will pass near Livermore has been established near Tesla and a large crew of workmen is expected to commence work on the line in the near future.

The old California Winery building, which was recently leased by the Hetch Hetchy men is being remodeled to accommodate the clerical staff.

David Thoreau, the American nat-
uralist, never paid taxes nor voted
while he lived.

Iowa Physician Makes Startling Offer to Catarrh Sufferers

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fers to Send It Free to Sufferers
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Davenport, Iowa, Dr. W. O. Coffey, 121 St. James Hotel Building, this city, one of the most widely known physicians and surgeons in Iowa, has recently announced that he found a treatment which completely healed him of catarrh of the nose and throat, and of the head noises after many years of suffering. He then gave this treatment to his patients, and they all recovered. He says that they also were completely healed. This Doctor is so proud of this discovery that he is anxious to send it to all sufferers. He says that this treatment will bring other sufferers the same freedom it gave him. He says that he has no doubt that the readers supply absolutely free to any reader of this paper who writes to him. He says that he has no doubt that he can send the treatment for ear, nose and throat diseases for more than thirty-five years and is honored and respected. He says that he has no doubt that he can send the treatment for ear, nose and throat catarrh, catarrh of the nose and throat, deafness or head noises, and address him at Davenport, Iowa. Advertisement.

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AIR MAIL THREATENED.

Five years of experimentation and marvelous achievement are to count for little unless the Senate restores the air mail appropriation to the postoffice bill. A year which saw the first public demonstration of night-flying for commercial purposes and launched the air mail service between the Atlantic and Pacific is likely to close with the abolition of the whole plan.

Particularly deplorable is the manner in which the air mail proposal was disposed of in the House. On a point of order the appropriation was thrown out without giving the proponents the opportunity of a hearing. The whole matter is now before the Senate where it is to be hoped that all arguments will be heard and that, if the air mail can prove its claims to perpetuation, the appropriation will be restored.

Of course the spectacular and romantic features of air mail service appeal to the public. The record of that service apparently has demonstrated the practical values. While it may be argued that a single year of cessation cannot be taken to mean that the idea is to be abandoned permanently, it may also be said that such a course would scatter the efficient personnel of the service, retard invention, and postpone an opportunity for research and experience. At a time when a large number of persons are urging that the air mail appropriation should be increased the entire item is threatened with elimination on a point of parliamentary procedure.

NO SENSE OF HUMOR?

America's belief that it is a humor-loving country has received two blows within the past month. The first came when Mr. Zangwill added one more caustic remark to the number he has made and said there is no humor in all the confines of this laughter-loving land. The other came from England where it was said that things which amuse the Americans mightily are considered there as suitable only to tickle the risibles of children.

The proof of these assertions must be sought in their reactions. If we are to protest and assume that our dignity has been injured it is just possible that there is a lack, somewhere, of the saving sense of humor. Isn't there, on the other hand, something humorous in the fact that the Englishman cannot laugh at the things which amuse us? And Mr. Zangwill is surely a bit ridiculous in his new and persistent attacks on everything American.

The simplest way to insult the average man is to tell him he lacks a sense of humor and the insult, generally, is the proof. We have with us those who see fun in physical pain, those who exalt the practical joke, and those to whom the indecent is always occasion for hilarious approval. So long as we can recognize the shortcomings of our national humor and so long as we can be tolerant with critics we may safely assume there remains with us a sense of humor.

TWO BIRTHDAYS.

This month the nation has honored the memory of two great Americans. For their achievements and the force that carried them through hardship and crisis, and for their noble attributes of mind and character Washington and Lincoln are revered. Their birthdays are kept with ceremonies and reminders and through the years their birthdays will continue to be observed. Upon these men time has placed the stamp of approval.

James Bryce said of Washington: "Washington stands alone, unapproachable like a snow peak rising above its fellows in the clear air of the morning, with a dignity, constancy, and purity which have made him the type of civic virtue to succeeding generations. No greater benefit could have befallen the Republic than to have such a type from the first before the eye and mind of the people."

And it was Theodore Roosevelt who said of Lincoln: "Throughout his entire life and especially after he rose to leadership in his party he was stirred to his depths by the sense

of fealty to a lofty ideal; but throughout his entire life he also accepted human nature as it is and worked with practical good sense to achieve results with the instruments at hand. It is impossible to conceive of a man farther removed from corruption, from mere self-seeking."

ELEVATION OF GUNS.

Inasmuch as navy officials are asking Congress to allow the expenditure of \$6,500,000 for the purpose, there will be discussion this spring of the elevation of the guns on American battleships. Such discussion, necessarily brings in comparisons and the experts point out our navy's strength and weakness in relation to the world's most powerful fleet, that of Great Britain.

Hector Bywater, British naval writer, has done much to open the argument with a statement that the proposed increase in the elevation of the guns on the battleships of the United States is unnecessary. *Science and Invention* has replied with an article by Graser Schornheimer, former lieutenant commander in the United States Navy and a naval expert. He calls attention to the fact that America under the treaty has retained eighteen capital ships against the twenty-two kept by England. The guns on the British ships outrange all but five of the American ships. This is the argument for gun elevation, an argument made the stronger when it is added that the American ships have speeds of 21 knots while thirteen of the British ships can make 25 to 33 knots.

Mr. Bywater has compared the fighting strength of the British ships with those of this country and the American expert has replied by doing the same. He holds that our vessels would be at a double disadvantage. On four of our vessels British ships could concentrate the fire of two ships to one. All of our ships could be under British range while but five of theirs were within range of our fleet. The difference in speed could maintain this advantage of range.

The 5-5-3 ratio is not maintained because Great Britain has more capital ships, a greater tonnage, longer range, and greater speed. A larger step in establishing equality, naval authorities say, will have been taken when the change in gun elevation is made.

A CHINESE BURBANK.

Add to the names of those who should be remembered for quiet achievement the euphonic one of Lue Gim-gong.

He came to America when he was twelve years old, learned the ways of the country, and started in performing service. Among his accomplishments are a tomato plant fifteen feet in height, a grapefruit that yields perfume, and an orange that can ripen and remain upon the tree in good condition from one to four years.

Lue Gim-gong was adopted into an American family more than fifty years ago. His experiments along the lines of those conducted by Luther Burbank have been made without thought of reward and while some of his achievements may mean wealth for others he is content to work for the simple love of making things grow. This is what he says on the subject:

"To my way of thinking the creation or development of a new product of horticulture is worth as much to humanity as a great industrial discovery or the perfection of an intricate machine."

Lue Gim-gong, Chinese-American, in his garden is not the least of those who are worthy of emulation.

In one week Oakland issued 199 building permits. Picture those buildings erected in one neighborhood for an idea of the way the city is growing.

A New York crook stole two hundred electric fans. Possibly he has intimations which way the wind is blowing for him and will try to set up a few currents in resistance.

And now will someone write a poem every verse of which will end: "With Sinclair half a world away?"

The King Tut show has closed for the summer season.

NEW WOMEN, OLD STYLE.

It has remained for the income tax collector to remind us that matrimony is by no means extinct in New York City. The head of a family, in the common acceptance, is a citizen in trousers, bearing the responsibilities of husband and father. But Colonel Frank E. Bowers pointed out the other day that according to the income tax returns for the year 1921, more than 100,000 women in the lower Manhattan district paid income tax as "heads of families," by reason of their support in one household of one or more relatives. This does not refer to widows who by the ingenuities of the law are classified as "single women," along with married women living apart from their husbands, and with unmarried women whose income is devoted to their own purposes. The woman head of a family, under the law, would be, in the vast majority, the unmarried woman whose earnings go to support incapacitated fathers, mothers left unprotected for, or orphaned brothers and sisters.

The self-supporting unmarried woman has become a commonplace of modern economic life. Much less attention has been directed to the unmarried woman who carries on her shoulders the support of others. Her numbers, if the figures for one Manhattan district are a criterion, would run close to a quarter of a million in New York City alone. For the country as a whole, she must be more than a million, allowing for the greater amount of self-supporting womanhood in the big cities.—*New York Times.*

NATIONAL MEN AND AFFAIRS

By ROBERT T. SMALL
Special Correspondent.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—When in his own good time he takes up his pen to do so, Harry M. Daugherty can tell some of the most interesting political tales of any man who has been in American public life. For many years Harry Daugherty has been the man behind the curtain. It was no idle boast on his part when he said that at the proper stage of the 1920 convention there would be a conference at 2:11 a. m. in the back room of a hotel which would dictate the Republican nominee. Harry Daugherty has seen politics from the inside.

It is a mistaken idea that his political career was encompassed by that of Warren G. Harding. Mr. Daugherty was almost as intimate with the late President McKinley as he was with Mr. Harding. The relationship, of course, was not quite the same for Mr. McKinley was much older than Daugherty during the years the junior was his principal political mentor. Also it remained for Mr. Harding to give to Mr. Daugherty his most exalted political position and his greatest opportunity for public service.

In the drawing room of a limited train returning recently from Florida, Mr. Harding's attorney-general related to the writer a strange bit of political history showing a striking parallel in the political fortunes of Major McKinley and Senator Harding. Mr. Daugherty had a definite hand in helping to shape these fortunes.

In 1892 Mr. Daugherty attended with Major McKinley the Republican national convention at Minneapolis. McKinley was governor of the state at the time and had been made chairman of the Ohio delegation. At the convention he was called upon to be permanent chairman of the gathering and preside over all its deliberations.

On the morning that the balloting for the presidential nomination was to begin Harry Daugherty and Chairman McKinley walked together to the convention hall. Mr. Daugherty warned Major McKinley that some of his friends in the Ohio delegation were prepared to start a stampede for him for the nomination. Harry Daugherty frankly told the governor he thought this an ill-advised move. In the first place it looked like an exceedingly bad year for the Republicans. In the second place the Ohio delegation had been pledged to the re-nomination of Benjamin Harrison. Mr. Daugherty told Major McKinley to wait four years and his time for the presidency would come.

True enough, when the balloting started the Ohio delegation cast its vote solidly for McKinley. The latter was on his feet in an instant. He challenged the vote. He called attention to the pledges that had been made and said he did not wish the nomination. Instead, he insisted that his own ballot as a member of the Ohio delegation be counted for Benjamin Harrison.

The movement for McKinley was not scotched, however, without some difficulty, and despite his own vigorous opposition he received 132 votes.

Benjamin Harrison was re-nominated and defeated. Four years later McKinley was nominated and swept the country against William Jennings Bryan.

Later McKinley died in office.

In 1916 Harry Daugherty accompanied Senator Warren G. Harding to the Republican convention at Chicago. Senator Harding was chairman of the state delegation. At Chicago he was called upon to be permanent chairman of the convention and preside over all its deliberations. The party was very much up in the air at this time and no one knew who the nominee would be. The delegates were pledged to everybody from Theodore Roosevelt and William H. Taft down to Henry Ford, the latter receiving on the first ballot no less than thirty-two votes.

With his selection as permanent chairman and his ringing keynote speech a demonstration was started for Mr. Harding.

Mr. Daugherty warned the senator of the move. He also told him it looked like a bad year for the Republicans. Likewise he told the senator that in another four years he believed his nomination would be certain whereas in 1916 the situation was much too muddy. Mr. Harding agreed with his political friend and adviser and immediately set about to stop the movement in his own delegation. His support was held to a few scattering votes.

Charles E. Hughes was nominated on the third ballot. In November he went down to defeat by an unexpected defeat. It is true, but none the less potent for all that.

Four years later, due largely to the efforts of one Harry M. Daugherty, Warren G. Harding was nominated by the Republicans and was elected by the popular vote over Governor Cox.

Later Mr. McKinley, Mr. Harding died in office.

To have two such experiences as that with two such outstanding characters in American history was indeed a privilege. The story Daugherty as well as Mr. Harding showed the influence upon the life of President McKinley, and too, that the campaign for Mr. Harding for president started long before many persons had any realization of it at all.

Salesman-hip.—Aren't these how about Flapper? Aren't these Salesman-hip miss: indeed they are, and the paper forecast strong winds for the next few days. Hesitant Flapper—I'll take them.—*Doll Weevil.*

An open mind may be one that is too porous to hold conviction.—*Sioux City (Ia.) Journal.*

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

AMONG THE FIRST FLOWERS OF SPRING

NOBODY PAYS ANY ATTENTION TO A SKINNY SNOWMAN

WELL, FOLKS HERE I AM AGAIN

SHOWS UP ONCE IN FOUR YEARS

THE FORUM

SAYS PRICE OF OIL JUSTIFIED BY DEMAND.
To the Editor of The Tribune:
Sir, Judging from articles published, I am satisfied the real situation in oil is not understood, and that the howl against prices are not justified nor will it have any effect in keeping prices down. Before the flush production of the southern fields high gravity oil sold for \$2.75 per barrel and gas sold for 25 cents per gallon. Before this year is out the same oil will sell for better than \$3.00 per barrel and gas will bring 30 cents per gallon. Supply and demand will force these prices. Drawing on storage oil has already started. Consumption is exceeding production and a shortage can be seen ahead.

The oil in storage which has been gathered over a period of more than a year has cost at the well at least \$1.10 per barrel (higher gravity oil). You must add to this the cost of storage, cement 25 cents per barrel, steel 60 cents per barrel, or an average of at least 40 cents per barrel. Then add interest on money invested and evaporation, which would make the cost over \$1.50 per barrel. As against the present market price of this oil, which is \$1.16 per barrel. To draw on the oil in storage means that oil must sell very soon at \$2.00 per barrel and gas in proportion. This must be done in justice to the stockholders for money expended.

The gasoline service stations in this state are the best in the world. With the state tax of 2c, it costs the companies in this line over 7 1/2 cents per gallon retailed.

Bids for gasoline in cargo lots for shipment to Europe of over 12 cents per gallon has been turned down and no price has been set. Export gasoline has increased 5 cents per gallon against 4 cents at home. Does this not indicate a shortage ahead? Supply and demand will make the price. Who will pay the most?

Returns to stockholders in legitimate companies well managed have been rotten for some time. Is it not time they were getting something on their investment? The oil game means millions and careful management to be successful. Let the politicians hamper those companies who have acted on the square and it means slowing up of production. Which will mean that prices will soar. Let the politicians start to develop and produce oil and prices will go out of sight. Such companies as the Standard Oil, Union Oil, Pacific Oil, General Petroleum, Associated Oil, and Shell Oil companies are strictly honorable business companies. Their organizations are perfect. Without such great institutions gasoline would be worth \$1.00 a gallon. And the automobile industry would have to shut down.

O. E. MOORS.

GIVES SOME REASONS "WHY I LIKE THE TRIBUNE."
To the Editor of The Tribune:
As a newcomer to Oakland—as one who has looked the situation over—see one who admires high and clean journalism and sees its necessity for the country, I beg the privilege of telling you what I think of your paper.

I keenly realize that a newspaper comes in the role of a visitor to my family, and a regular visitor to whom we have thrown open the door day by day. He is the most subtly dangerous intruder if he carries an infection, or has a breath laden with germs. He can bring in his contaminations more "unknown," more unsuspect-

edly, hence more viciously, than any other.

I like The TRIBUNE because it evidently purposes to be what a paper ought to be. Our country needs piloting, guides, careful sailing.

In a particular way, I can count off these reasons for my liking:

(1) You have not gotten things upside-down. While through so many of your publications there runs the trail of a distorted, misplaced idea of the sexual, your columns are free: you do not use it as a morbid spice.

(2) The TRIBUNE does not peep out here and there in its columns and stab general morality in the back. You have no stock-in-trade of insinuations of insincerity and hypocrisy on the part of those who believe in straight morals.

(3) You certainly believe in CONTROL—control as against the false ideas of "liberty" of our times.

(4) I believe that you see that the violence and crimes which crowd the daily reports are direct fruits of these false—these wholly rabid—ideas of freedom and the sovereignty of the individual as against the world.

We must go a day and find our way back. All honor to the papers which help us in the fight!

I take off my hat to The TRIBUNE.

JAMES B. TAYLOR.

TREES NEEDED IN THE NEWER PARTS OF CITY.
To the Editor of The Tribune:
Having arrived here from the East a couple of months ago, I am glad to say that I am not disappointed in what California and especially Oakland has to offer.

I am somewhat disappointed in the haphazard way trees are planted along the streets. It seems to me if I am permitted to make such a suggestion, the park department ought to take this matter in hand, or perhaps a special body should be created to take care of this. In the East we consider it a big asset to a city if the streets are well lined with trees and great care is taken by Shade Tree Commissions and with the right kind of variety. I understand that Sacramento has done this to a great extent.

There are plenty of nice parks, well kept, plenty of nice homes, but very few streets, especially in the newer sections, are lined with trees. The sycamore and elms seem to be two species well adapted to the climate.

I am offering this suggestion for the consideration of citizens and authorities and shall be glad to cooperate at any time, if that might be desired.

C. J. W. OTTOLANDER.

Hard Boiled.
The waitress, very much out of sorts, sailed haughtily up to the table at which sat the grouchy customer. She slammed down the cutlery, snatched a napkin from a pile and tossed it in front of him. Then striking a furious pose, she glared at him.

"Whatcha want?" she snapped. "Couple of eggs," growled the diner.

"How ya want 'em?"

"Just 'like you are."—*Notre Dame Juggler.*

PERSONAL HEALTH SERVICE.
TREATMENT OF GALLSTONE DISEASE.
The time to treat gallstone disease is in the stage when it is uncertain whether the symptoms are really due to gall-sac trouble. A glass of hot water slipped slowly on rising and at bed time, and plenty of cold water between meals, will prevent more trouble than gallons of mineral water taken later on as a forlorn remedy.

Though gallstones come high, we don't have to have them. Why are the great majority of cases in women, 90 per cent of them in women who have had children? Why is typhoid fever such a feature of the history of gallstone disease? Women are inclined to drink insufficient water, from habit and for the sake of avoiding the inconvenience resulting therefrom. Women get less exercise, especially insufficient walking in the open air, when pregnant. Sedentary habit and inadequate liquid intake predispose to gallstones. Typhoid germs are always eliminated through the gall-sac in typhoid fever; not strange that a few should remain there if the bile apparatus is torpid. But there is no reason why expectant mothers should not take a daily walk throughout the waiting period; in fact, this is the best assurance of a normal labor. Typhoid fever is now as unnecessary for the individual as is smallpox. And as for neglected teeth and Riggs' disease and infected tonsils—portals of entry for other germs which produce gallstones—all of these are preventable or curable if not allowed to go too far.

Both as prevention and as treatment of a suspected case of gall-sac trouble, the following measures are valuable:

1. A diet containing a minimum of meat and a maximum of fresh fruits. The less meat a race consumes the less prevalent are appendicitis, gastric ulcer and gall stones. A bulky, largely vegetarian diet overcomes intestinal atony (constipation) in nature's way.

2. At least three pints of water each day besides the liquid in or with regular food. One can scarcely drink too much.

3. If constipation is not prevented by the two measures just mentioned, a few doses of paraffin oil (liquid petrolatum, U. S. P.) should be taken each day as an intestinal lubricant, instead of physics.

4. Either walking, room gymnastics, golf, tennis, bicycling or some other form of active exercise should be enjoyed every day, rain or shine. If not enjoyed, then taken. Unfortunately, we have not yet perfected a form of exercise suitable for hypodermic administration.

There is but one cure for established gallstones. The cure is at least safer than the disease. In the hands of a good surgeon it is as safe as the operation for appendicitis.

WHAT IS DOING TODAY
Band concert, Auditorium, afternoon.
Romany Club hike to Lake Lagunitas, Marin county morning.
Contra Costa Club to Redwood Peak, morning.
Berkeley Hiking Club to Rocky Ridge, morning.
Fulton—"Our Crowd."
Lurie—"Covered Wagon."
Orpheum-Vaudeville.
American—"Flaming Barriers."
Fox—"The Blizzard."
State—"Your Friend and Mine."
T. & D.—"When a Man's a Man."
Century—"Let's Whistle."
Franklin—"Scaramouche."
Broadway—"Going Up."
Idora Park—Dancing and skating.

EVENTS FOR TOMORROW
TRIBUNE radio broadcast.
American Legion luncheon, 1546 Broadway.
I. O. O. F., meet W. O. W., hall, Fruitvale, evening.
Boy Scouts, whist, Castro Valley school, evening.
U. P. P. E. C., whist, Masonic hall, San Leandro, evening.
K. of C., reception to Order of Alhambra, evening.
Neighbors of Woodcraft, No. 146, whist, Pacific building, evening.

POET'S CORNER

UNDER THE REDWOODS.
By HENRY MEADE BLAND.
Whene'er I long to take mine ease
I find a grove of Redwood Trees.
For there no chilling storm-wind
blows;
And there the trouty streamlet
flows:
A stream that plays o'er polished
hubbles;
The while it sings with laughing
bubbles:
A stream that many a fern em-
boses;
That loves to play among the
mosses.
The sempervirens I prefer—
I love its f: ankness and myrrh.
Above, its dark leaves weave a
roof
Soft as a silken warp and woof.
The giants close around me stand,
And hold above me many a hand.
They talk to me of Babylon,
And glory of mighty Solomon;
Or visions shapen by the Seer
Come like old music to the ear.
So rare it is to take one's ease
Under the green of Redwood trees.
In their low murmuring evening
sigh,
Echoes the lover's joy or cry.
Now Boaz yearns for gentle Ruth,
And Niobe is grieved forsooth;
And Romeo with a youthful plaint
Proclaims his Juliet a saint.
Oh, it is odd to take one's ease
Under the Always-Living trees.
These trees like gods are stern in
duty
Staunch like the Truth and rare in
Beauty.
Like deities they seem immortal
And made to grow at Heaven's
Portal.
So in the twilight's mystic play,
I rest and think the hours away;
While at my feet the friendly fire
Drives mists away and shadows
dire.
Thus in this Nature-House of mine
Dull thought to me grows most di-
vine.
I weave it into dant strands
And grace it as with golden bans:
Thought—that great Genie of a
thing
That makes a beggar feel a king!
Yes, when I want to take mine
ease,
I hunt a grove of Redwood Trees!
—Henry Meade Bland.

THE OLD PROSPECTOR.
Yes sir, right here in these Sierras
I'll live till I'm old and grey
I lookin' toward old Grizzly Peak
In sight of dirt that pays!
There's no use tellin' me these hills
hold no more yellow stuff—
If practice counts in hunting gold,
Lard knows I've had enough!
This hospital? It's fine! The county
treats us good, but when
You've been two years in bed and
chair, you think o' slope and
glen—
And I've spotted fifty places where
all indications showed
Better color than the Gold-stripe
—more promise than King
Lode.
Since twelve-three I've worked these
mines—and when I say "mines,"
man.
I mean mines with gold a-shovin'
in the quartz, or tinklin'
in the pan!
Gold stickin' in the riffles, with
now and then a chunk the size
Of Iverton's "Queen" nugget they
found lyin' on White's Rise.
Have I struck pay? Once, pretty
good, but I dug too far down.
Up that same gulch Hawk Smith
opened up Sultana Town!
That night twelve hundred tramp-
ed those hills, gold crazy.
Liquor-wild—
Me? I lost on craps and gave the
rest to Slab Keene's allin'
child.
Man, it's the only life! There's
something gets you by the
beach.
Lands you in Hell, or Paradise
with hold like grip o' death!
The thought brings back a rush o'
strength—there ain't a chance
to fail.
So now, sure, by the next sunrise
I'll hit the glorious...
Thanks, friend. That's queer—I'd
faint again—the hills look
changed and clear;
Way through—beyond—and high-
er up is finer gold than here.
Been foolish? Yes, the Lord for-
give! For me no kinsman
weeps,
But these good friends will wish
me luck—I've hit the trail for
keeps.
—Shirley Henderson.

EUROPEAN PEACE AND STABILIZATION IN SIGHT

IMMIGRATION TO END UNTIL JULY, WRITER CLAIMS

Quotas From Practically All
European Countries
Are Exhausted.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—No more immigrants, barring a few scattered handfuls, will be admitted to the United States during the current fiscal year which ends July 1, according to information made public today by the Department of Labor. All Europe, except Scandinavia and France with a sprinkling of a few score or hundred of immigrants elsewhere, has exhausted its quota for the current year.

The list of admissions stood ten days ago—latest date on which figures were compiled—at 7022 persons, distributed mainly as follows: From Denmark 1582; from Estonia 789; from France 1180; from Norway 1291 and from Sweden 1032. The remaining 1200 which may be admitted to the country prior to June 30 are divided among Armenia, Austria, Hungary, Iceland, Latvia, Yugoslavia and Turkey.

IMMIGRATION TO CEASE.
Within the next ten days it is expected the remaining quota will be exhausted. From then on until July 1, about four months immigration to the United States will have ceased absolutely.

It will be the first time in the history of the country, it is believed, that the human tide will have ceased to roll again to the shores of America.

Under the present immigration law which expires June next, the number of admissions is restricted to 3 per cent of the nationals of any country in the United States at the time the census of 1910 was taken. The total which may be admitted in any one year has been figured out by the Department of Labor at 357,803.

SWEDEN HAS QUOTA.
That total is apportioned among the various European and other nations affected by the law (South America is not affected), in quotas fixing the limit of immigration from each country. The highest is the quota of Great Britain and Ireland, 77,342 persons the next, Germany, with 67,537; Italy with an annual quota of 42,057; Poland, with 30,977; Russia, with 24,405; Sweden with 10,043; Czechoslovakia, with 14,357; and Norway, with 12,202, follow in the order named. Each of the remaining thirty-six nations affected has an annual quota of less than 10,000, seventeen have quotas of less than 1000.

Sweden alone of the eight nations named above has not exhausted her 1924 quota and even in her case the quota is 95 per cent exhausted.

OVERFLOW FIELD UP.
Under the labor department's rulings, not more than one-fifth of a nation's annual quota may be admitted in any one month. Because of this ruling, no nation can exhaust its quota in less than five months. The ruling was made to prevent an overflow of immigrants in the rush to get in, from flooding immigration offices immediately after July 1 each year. Were it not for this check, undoubtedly hundreds of thousands of aliens would descend upon New York and other ports during the first two weeks of July and virtually none at all during the remaining fifty weeks of the year.

Even with this check the annual race among steamers to reach New York in the early morning hours of July 1 each year is participated in by from ten to twenty vessels, each laden with immigrants. Some of these vessels, reaching sight of land before midnight of June 30, lie just outside the port and finish their trips within a few minutes after the stroke of clock ushering in a new fiscal year.

PRESSURE EXERTED.
As evidence of the pressure brought to obtain admittance to the United States, the department's records show that during the current fiscal year, Great Britain exhausted her quota within two days after the earliest possible date, on November 3. Italy's quota was exhausted December 9; Russia December 15; Greece December 3; Poland December 31 and Germany January 27. No more immigrants from any of these nations will be admitted to the United States until July 1 next.

Before that date the present law will be extended or a new law enacted. Proposals looking to a new law contain restrictions which would reduce still further the

Royal Alliance Rumored

Following the visit of Queen Marie, of Roumania, to Italy, rumor has coupled the names of CROWN PRINCE HUMBERT, shows in the inset, and the youngest daughter of the King and Queen of Roumania, Elena. The young lady, shown in the photograph, does credit to the good looks of her popular mother. And, for that matter, the Prince doesn't present any distressing points to gaze upon. —P. A. photos.



Seven Days in LIT OF New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—What with people who deal in the remote past and those who foretell the remote future, this simple-hearted, ingenious town has been all stirred the last seven days. An old-fashioned blizzard and a nice spring rain, with consequent oceans of slush, from curb to curb, also complicated things a bit. Nor did the complications lessen when the slush froze so that, instead of doing the Austrian crawl at street crossings you did the St. Moritz loop-the-loop.

We were not too busy dodging blizzards, however, to get our earful of culture. The remote past set us all a-buzzing, the buzz being chiefly concerned with Howard Carter and his Egyptian difficulties. Over in Brooklyn the employees of a canning factory got so engrossed in an argument as to whether or not Carter ought to be permitted his excavations in Tutankhamen's tomb that one of them went to the hospital and the other to jail. You can readily see that in these days New Yorkers take their culture seriously.

BUT dealers in the remote past had nothing, for interest, on dealers in the remote future and in a future such that the more you look into, the remoter it gets. Inspired by that conspicuous figure of finance and of romance—Ponzi, of Boston—a number of our bright young women have dabbled in money games of one kind or another. Now it is too early yet to tell whether Miss Helen Buckett's middle name is Ponzi. Perhaps the \$100,000 stock pool into which she plunged is the sort of pool out of which she will swim with no other record than that of a champion swimmer. But at the moment the district attorney and half a dozen investors in the Deckert pool are telling the world what they think of the lady's business methods. And what they think has been enough to obtain her indictment on a charge of second degree forgery.

If Miss Buckett proves her innocence, or doesn't, the fact remains that she is a shining example of how an indutious girl can rise in this town when she combines brains with good looks and clever speech. Miss Buckett patronized a

number admissible to 2 per cent of the nationals numbered in the 1890 census. Such a law is likely to be enacted at this session of congress.

How effectively the bars will then be up is shown by the estimate that less than 200,000 persons would be admissible under such a law as contemplated with 357,803 in 1924, and 1,215,000 in 1914.

fashionable cossette. It is obvious that no woman in the throes of having new stars fitted would be suspicious of a pleasant girl of 27 or so who most casually during an interval of waiting mentioned stock deals. As a matter of fact, the woman who invested with Miss Buckett thought themselves favored by being given the opportunity. Chance acquaintances at your cossette's so seldom offer you a chance to make a fortune. Before she went in for stocks and stays—Miss Buckett was just a Wall Street stenographer. The pool which she formed had a capital of \$100. The moral is that you cannot be too careful about your stars; and if Miss Buckett is the financial genius which she admits herself to be, you cannot buy too many of them.

THE things a citizen can be penalized for, by the way, get curiouser and curiouser here, about, to snatch a quotation from Alice in Wonderland. Time was when the person who chased a thief got a commendation. Time was when if the pursuer caught the thief he got a reward. But in this city as things are now, if you see a thief you'd just better tip your hat with a civil: "Excuse me, you, sir," and refrain from annoying him.

This is a matter worth knowing, especially if you work for a living. A woman ticket seller in the subway had the ticket money snatched from the money drawer by two men. Did she swoon? Better if she had. But not she. The lady nipped out of her little booth, chased the thieves and captured the one who had the loot.

CAN'T all of us who were trained in the Rollo Books and the second reader hear the benevolent subway officials, calling the heroine into their mahogany offices, remark dulcetly: "Young woman, you have performed a service of such heroic import, and so on.

Can't we see the lady getting a month's vacation with pay, a raise, a medal and an engraved endorsement.

Well, the subway officials couldn't say any such thing. What they could hear was that the lady left the ticket booth unmanned, so to speak, while she chased two robbers. To leave the booth empty is against the rules. They fired her.

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New Dance Appears In Berlin Cabarets

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—Its name is "Java."

It is the latest dance to achieve popularity in Berlin.

In the fashionable dance clubs here, for instance, the Boston Club, the Black and White Club, the Savoy Club and the Russian Club, the "Java" has become a serious rival to the fox trot and the tango. Gradually it is spreading to the public dancing parties.

"Java" music in its triple measure. Like all European dances, it is simple, slow and graceful, rather than "full of pep." It consists of one long step and two short ones or one long step and a pause. The turn is made almost in waltz steps. The only fancy trimmings to it are a side step instead of the long step, and a zig-zag course.

The music comes from a Parisian chant that every newsboy whistles, but the Germans set it to dance music. It has spread as far as Holland, but hasn't yet crossed the channel.

BAD STRIKES IN BRITAIN MENACE POWER OF LABOR

MacDonald's Friends Among
Unions Have Jeopardized
Government.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Great Britain has been as effectively blockaded this week as if under a state of siege. The dock workers at all ports demanded an additional two shillings a day but the companies resisted the full claim and the men ceased work, with the result that not a single cargo was unloaded at any port in the kingdom.

England is a country which is not equipped to sustain a long blockade, whether from within or from without. She is dependent on overseas supplies, which must be constantly renewed. The amount of food in the country at any one time rarely exceeds a few weeks supply and anything in the nature of a serious interruption of imports immediately assumes an alarming aspect.

SECOND STRIKE.
The present strike has been anticipated and measures taken to increase normal reserves of corn, but these were insufficient to sustain the country against a prolonged struggle. Moreover the outlook became more menacing with the prospect of a sympathetic strike on the part of the other transport workers.

In the circumstances, at the instance of the government, the employers have made a substantial advance to the full claim and at the moment a settlement seems assured and a resumption of work imminent.

This is the second national strike since the labor government came into power last month. In both cases the employers handled matters badly at the beginning and were compelled to yield in the end. This is unfortunate in view of the present economical condition of the industrial world, for the result of the recent strikes creates the impression that the employers are dishonest and will surrender when squeezed. Between the two, the poor consumer is having a thin time.

ANOTHER LOOMS.
All the troubles are by no means over, for the most serious strike of all looms ahead. Since the 1st disastrous defeat of the miners, great unrest has prevailed in the mining industry, and in a few weeks time when the present agreement ends, the whole volcano promises to boil up with unprecedented fury. The question of public ownership of the mines probably will become a serious matter of practical politics for the existing situation in the mining industry is admittedly antiquated and uneconomical.

Altogether prime minister Ramsay MacDonald is having a very bad time of it. He is being assailed from all sides by his own supporters. Clearly the existence of a labor government is no guarantee against labor troubles. Possibly in the present circumstances it tends to increase them.

Judging from the experience of the first few weeks, the labor government does not promise to continue long. The extreme left wing of the labor party is showing strong dissatisfaction with the government, which they regard as indistinguishable from the previous capitalist government. They regard Premier MacDonald simply as an old capitalist dog in a new coat.

LIBERALS DISSATISFIED.
Meanwhile the feeling of the Liberals toward the government is becoming embittered by the attitude of hostility which labor has adopted with regard to the Liberals in the house and in the constituencies. The unstable condition of the government was revealed this week when on two successive nights it only escaped defeat, first by the help of the speaker and second by the help of the Tories.

The whole thing is that the trouble arises in one case because the air ministry talked in too effusive a tone and in the other because the minister representing the labor party had accepted the labor party's translation into a foreign land and other customs, or her loss of fortune and that they had tried in vain to induce her to accept the support which they would give her either in their own homes or in a home of their own. They wanted a home for her but she had scorned it. She would not make any concessions and although her mind is bright and keen, she simply refuses to recognize any change in circumstances from the days that are hallowed in her memory.

Judge Pope was puzzled and said that it did not appear to be a matter for police court decision. He suggested that the three daughters should provide their mother with a home, a modest one, but with all the comforts and provide her with a home for her living and a modest sum of money for her needs.

The three daughters gladly agreed to do, but with doubt if their mother would agree to accept such a proposition and Mms. de Kerensson, understanding that a settlement had been reached, asked if it meant the restoration of her name and fortune and jewels and family plate, which disappeared when the Prussians invaded France in 1871.

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NAPOLEON COURT FAVORITE SUES FOR FAMILY'S AID

Hales Daughters Before
Judge in L. A.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 23.—Mme. Isabelle de Kerensson traces the noble blood in her veins far back beyond the rise of the Corsican upstart Napoleon I. Her family did not become recognized to the Napoleonic dynasty until the third empire, when she married de Kerensson, a favorite of Napoleon, and was herself a conspicuous figure at court and in waiting upon the charming Empress Eugenie.

Then the Prussians came in 1871, the empire collapsed the court was scattered and Isabelle de Kerensson was widowed by the war. Her own dot and the Kerensson fortune was impaired by wartime necessities and the family fortunes suffered blow after blow.

RANCH BOUGHT.
The revised order of things following the war made the new republic a strange place for the aristocratic Isabelle de Kerensson and her children. Her mother, a son Robert and three daughters emigrated to America in 1893 and came to California, which they heard was a counterpart of their beloved France. Their fortune, all of it turned into American dollars, amounted to \$200,000, a great sum in those days in California, and their investment was a huge ranch. Robert was manager of the property, but pursuit of a business so foreign to his upbringing soon brought back to him a longing for the old country and he sold the ranch for the benefit of his mother and sisters and sailed back home where he entered the government service and now is a representative of the government in the French Congo.

DAUGHTER MARRIED.
Mme. Isabelle de Kerensson refuses to accept the customs of the country or yield what she held to be her divine rights as a member of the French aristocracy became involved in litigation over the sale of the ranch and has never come into possession of the remainder of her fortune through the sale of the ranch.

Her daughters married and are Magdalene de la Torre and Henrietta de la Torre, the wives of brothers, and Mrs. Jean Trecoat. They married men of their choice, after the custom of American girls, and Mme. de Kerensson still ordering her life as that of a grand dame of France, refused to recognize their right to make a choice, because she had not entangled them according to custom of the French nobility.

LIVED IN PAST.
For many years now, Mme. de Kerensson has continued to live in a past age—to observe the customs of her youth as a lady of the court of the third empire and her daughters have not tried to avenge her away from her daisies. She has made her home with Mrs. Trecoat, but her life has been apart from that of the typical American household. Mme. de Kerensson steadfastly refused to speak any but the language of the court of France, her dress and jewels have been those of the third empire and her ideal of womanhood the gentle empress Eugenie.

As the years grew upon her, Mme. de Kerensson lived more and more in the bygone days and Mrs. Trecoat was unable to meet her demands. Mme. de Kerensson then became embittered against her two other daughters and decided to appeal her case to the court. She made inquiries through an interpreter and finally this week appeared in the court of a French king or emperor, but in a police court before Judge Pope, with a charge of failure to contribute to her support lodged in her name and against her two daughters who had married the de la Torre brothers.

Mme. de Kerensson tried to explain in her pure French, her eyes flashing with the hauteur of a French noblewoman finding herself in strange surroundings and Judge Pope listened patiently but not understandingly.

AGREEMENT REACHED.
The sisters, humiliated by the accusations against them, explained that their mother had never accepted her translation into a foreign land and other customs, or her loss of fortune and that they had tried in vain to induce her to accept the support which they would give her either in their own homes or in a home of their own. They wanted a home for her but she had scorned it. She would not make any concessions and although her mind is bright and keen, she simply refuses to recognize any change in circumstances from the days that are hallowed in her memory.

Judge Pope was puzzled and said that it did not appear to be a matter for police court decision. He suggested that the three daughters should provide their mother with a home, a modest one, but with all the comforts and provide her with a home for her living and a modest sum of money for her needs.

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EXPERTS' REPORT ON REPARATIONS LOOMS AS FAVORABLE SIGN

By WM. BIRD.
(By Consolidated Press Leased Wire to TRIBUNE.)

PARIS, Feb. 23.—Peace and stabilization are in sight. Within a very short time the report of the experts committees of the reparations commission will have been submitted and accepted in essentials by all governments concerned. This opinion was expressed to the writer today by leaders of French opinion who hitherto have been far from optimistic.

Ever since the Genoa conference when the French obstinately blocked progress on every issue, and particularly since the occupation of the Ruhr which made it more difficult than ever for the French to yield an inch of ground, it has been generally recognized that no progress toward a European settlement was possible until some means could be found of satisfying France's demand for guarantees of security against German attack.

The Ruhr occupation itself was indeed intended more as a safeguard against use of that great machine shop for military purposes than anything else. Premier Poincare kept repeating that he would make the Ruhr a "productive pledge." It is apparent now that nothing of the sort has happened and that from an economic viewpoint the occupation has been almost as disastrous to France as to Germany.

Official Belgian figures just published show that apart from losses through stoppage of German deliveries of coal and other goods since the Ruhr occupation, the enterprise has cost within 100,000,000 gold marks of what it produced. And of these 100,000,000 gold marks, eighty-nine million have to be paid to America as an installment on occupation costs of the Rhine army.

CAN'T RETREAT.
But how could France retreat? "The flag is up and we cannot haul it down until we have won," was the spirit in which the occupation was undertaken. The experts have not around the question very easily and in a manner that seems to satisfy everybody, the French included.

"We do not give a rap for your flag or anybody's flag," the experts say in effect. "Our field is not politics, but economics. You can hang your flag and post your soldiers where you like. Our only stipulation is that you keep out of machine shops, factories, railroads, mines and offices."

It is no use pretending that this solution is satisfactory to all influential elements in France. Certainly it is true hopes had been nourished by the French steel trust, for example, of economic cooperation with the business-like principles that have underlain the work of the experts.

In other words, there must be less talk of flags and more of work, less talk of what is just and more of what is feasible.

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LEVEL WAY TO PEACE, SAYS GERMAN WRITER

By MAXIMILIAN HARDEN,
Germany's Foremost Publicist.

(By Consolidated Press Leased Wire to TRIBUNE.)

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—Some German newspapers rejoice today in anticipation of the fall of Premier Poincare of France. Since his domestic policy often displeases the party of the right and his foreign policy displeases the left and since he will not sacrifice any of his convictions, his fall is possible at any moment.

But the writer does not believe Germany would then have any reason to rejoice. Poincare, he maintains, with justifiable pride that the senate should not let fear of consequences for the foreign policy restrain it from overthrowing him, since any successor would continue his policies, and no one—whether Briand, Barthou, Louchur, Herriot, or Tardieu, will be more ready to adopt a policy of yielding compliance than the Lorrainer, whom nobody can accuse of possessing a weakly inclination to make unnecessary concessions.

REPARATIONS PROBLEM.
A solution of the reparations problem does not depend upon blind errors of both sides. Instead of looking backward and increasing their mutual difficulties, France and Germany should seek to level the way for peace.

Restoration of German economic sovereignty on the Ruhr, control of the hawed, occupation of the Rhineland by the league of nations, reparations by collaboration and ship dismantling of all the still military strong states; assuring of the police power necessary to carry out the league of nations execution; harmonious labor in peaceful quiet—for a Europe which had come to its senses on this modern route. America's wealth would gladly grant a loan under easy conditions. And not until then will the elements of the United States know for what end the land waged and decided the war.

POINCARE RELAXES.
Even an honorable opponent must work at the earnest industry and the tenacious will power of Poincare, who does almost everything alone; it must be admitted also that his stubbornness has gradually relaxed of late and that this jurist has displayed elements of statesmanship. But his powers of reaction are stronger than his positive creative ability. A cool, clever, at too mistrustful head, without vision, who knows only that of Europe of firmly drawn divisions of might, and has not the imaginative power to conjure up the vision of a new Europe, he cannot bring himself to formulate, definitely, demands upon the fulfillment of which Germany may regain her economic sovereignty in the Rhineland and the Ruhr and rid her territory of foreign soldiers.

Whether any successor would quickly make this decision is doubtful. He, too, would face him.

COOPERATION OF NATIONS VIEWED AS CORRECT STEP

French Observer Thinks All
Europe May Soon Get
Together.

By ANDRE TARDIEU,
Former French High Commissioner
to the U. S.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—Beyond technical questions which the expert committees are examining there is a great political and psychological problem. From 1920 Germany was able to pay and with less difficulty than today, but she wouldn't. Since 1920 the allies and their associates have had it in their power to make Germany pay provided they worked together but they wouldn't.

They wouldn't for an infinity of reasons—financial, economic, moral. That is why reparations there have given no fruit except bitterness. Will things change now? That is what France would like to know.

One answer is that nobody is satisfied with the situation as it is, which results from discordant policies of the past five years and that consequently everybody is ready to make an effort to better things. That appears to be the only hopeful sign for 1924.

ALL ARE TIRED.
The English are tired of unemployment, the French of financial difficulties, the Germans of multi-form bankruptcy and the Americans of European anarchy. From all this discontent there may be born a determination to set things straight.

Will this determination be strong enough to triumph over the obstacles which bar its path and especially over the bad habits acquired since 1920? That is another story. Taking Germany alone is she ready for a "policy of fulfillment" of which her ministers have often spoken but in which they have never acted or do hopes of ending peace terms and vague dreams of recovery still dominate the German thought.

The wisest experts cannot answer this, and yet it is essential. As for Germany's creditors similar questions might be asked about their state of mind and still the leading minds of France and England could not answer.

"DISCOVERY" MADE.
Prophecies in such circumstances could be rash. As Clemenceau said in 1919 international solutions based on the treaty of Versailles require a preparatory education of minds and hearts. What has been done toward such education?

During the past week a large part of the French press made a great discovery. It discovered that the reparations problem requires "international solution."

It is a pleasure to have old formulas crop up again. It is reassuring.

Anybody who hasn't lost his memory remembers that this particular formula was not entirely ignored in 1919 when peace was negotiated. The Versailles treaty was an international solution because it was the conclusion of a war in which many participated. In the matter of reparations, as in everything else, all the victors nations agreed to collaborate. Germany's debt to them was to be paid in kind and divided later.

An international organ, the reparations commission, was constituted to represent the united creditors and regulate payments.

Much water has passed under the bridge since then but it looks as if we had got back by some strange detour to the starting point. The United States Senate refused to ratify the treaty of Versailles yet here is the American, General Charles Dawes, heading the experts committee. Premier Poincare announced a year ago that he would find elements of payment in the Ruhr. And Poincare said to the Senate Thursday that the recently reopened international conference about reparations constituted "an event of decisive importance."

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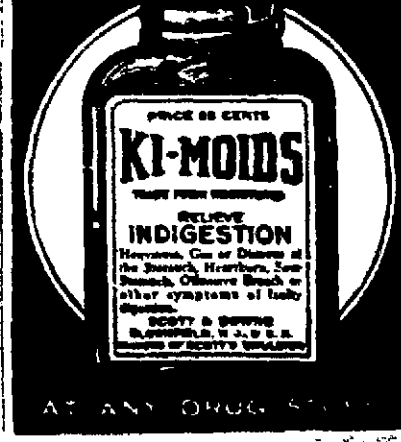
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UPS AND DOWNS OF WALL STREET

NEW FINANCING CAUSES SLUMP IN OLD BOND PRICES

Market Absorbs Tremendous Volume of New Securities During Week

By HARRY COLEMAN.
NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The investment market has shown a slight tendency downward this week so far as prices of old bonds are concerned.

That tendency is ascribable to a two-fold cause. For one thing, the volume of new financing so far this year has been very large. Starting at a moderate pace, the market for securities gradually expanded until in the last few weeks it has been moving at a high rate of speed. It is estimated in investment banking quarters that the capital flotations since January 1 have reached a total of approximately \$800,000,000. That is an enormous volume, and unquestionably has taken up a great deal of the slack created by January 1.

Another reason for the apparent hesitation of investors to buy seasoned bonds is the attractive rates of interest offered on the large volume of new issues. Unless new issues are offered on a basis to invite investment in comparison with the market for outstanding bonds, underwriters have a very difficult time in distributing their wares than they have.

The new bonds continue to go well, as witness the large over-subscription of the Japanese loan and the private debt of the same government of \$20,000,000 Chicago, Burlington and Quincy first and second bonds on a 5.15 per cent basis without even the formality of a public sale.

MARKET CLOGGED.
However, the market for seasoned bonds is becoming a little clogged. Realizing that fact, dealers having blocks of bonds on their shelves are competing with each other with the result that some of them are making slight concessions in prices. On the stock exchange, moreover, it has been apparent for several days that investors are unwilling to follow prices of old bonds up. The gains are restricted solely to speculative and semi-speculative bonds.

The indications that the peak of the advance has been reached in the case of high grade old bonds, conditions in the money market must be taken into consideration. The money market has not changed much in the last few days. The supply of funds, while not so ample as it was prior to the great outpouring of new capital issues recently witnessed, yet it is largely evidenced by the fact that the rate of Japanese loan was not subscribed between 60 and 70 per cent. However, an almost imperceptible stiffening of money rates has been observed.

PRIME PAPER.
The rate for prime paper of commercial paper continues at 4 1/2 per cent but 5 per cent is the discount rate on any increasing volume of loans. Bankers' time loans are slightly firmer at 5 per cent. The rate on bankers' acceptances has been advanced slightly in the last couple of weeks. The slight tendency of money rates to rise is a factor of the advance has been reached in the case of high grade old bonds, conditions in the money market must be taken into consideration. The money market has not changed much in the last few days. The supply of funds, while not so ample as it was prior to the great outpouring of new capital issues recently witnessed, yet it is largely evidenced by the fact that the rate of Japanese loan was not subscribed between 60 and 70 per cent. However, an almost imperceptible stiffening of money rates has been observed.

RESERVE RATES.
Much discussion has been heard of a possible reduction in federal reserve bank rates. It was even expected that a cut would be made this week. However, the discount rate has been maintained at 5 per cent to confirm investors' theory that investment returns are sufficiently high, particularly as now appears likely, the tax rate on income in Congress. Investors will be unwilling to forego any further return from taxable investments if Congress reduces the rate to a minimum of 3 per cent as recommended by Mr. Mellon.

The Garner bill, which has won the house on a vote of 219 to 191, which is not much better than the 60 per cent surplus rate in the present law which admittedly has the evil result of driving wealth into non-taxable investments in the form of industrial and railroad bonds.

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WIRE SUMMARY

The United States Envelope Company reports for 1923 a balance of \$305,886, equal to \$11.45 a share. The company reported a net profit of \$244,456 or \$12.83 a share. George T. Sade has resigned as president of the Tide Water Oil Company. Directors of the National Candy Company have placed the common stock on a 6 per cent annual dividend basis, compared with 5 per cent previously.

STOCKS, BONDS, COMMODITIES, MARKETS

By Special Wires of Wm. Cavalier & Co. MORNING PRICES

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS		WATER STOCKS		COPPER	
Am Factors 1st 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Bay Water 1st 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Cal Cotton Mills 1st 7 1/2 101 3/4	85
Am Factors 2nd 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Bay Water 2nd 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Cal Cotton Mills 2nd 7 1/2 101 3/4	85
Am Factors 3rd 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Bay Water 3rd 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Cal Cotton Mills 3rd 7 1/2 101 3/4	85
Am Factors 4th 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Bay Water 4th 7 1/2 101 3/4	85	Cal Cotton Mills 4th 7 1/2 101 3/4	85
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RADIO REPORTED HURLING SALE OF CHEAPER PIANOS

Bond Instruments and Such Like Declared Benefited by Broadcasting.

BY CONSOLIDATED PRESS

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The tremendous spread of interest in radio broadcasting, which is keeping the manufacturers of wireless equipment busy to capacity to fill orders, is calculated to help rather than hurt the manufacture and sale of musical instruments. The conclusion seems to be reached by both makers and dealers in instruments. It is admitted by dealers in some sections that radio lines have been affected unfavorably by radio development, but even in these producers are not worried.

The reason for this is that the radio has been a factor in musical education of people all over the country. Folk who knew little and cared less about music have plugged in on the radio programs and have become familiar with music and with different kinds of music, and the musical trade is sure that a desire to reproduce familiar selections will spread the sale of instruments. This has occurred in the branch out into personal musical expression, will receive tremendous stimulus.

RADIO HELPS SALES.

"We think that the radio has helped the sale of pianos and other musical instruments," said George M. Bundy, president of the New York Conn Company, today. "We find that people who seldom get to hear good music are now getting it. They are more interested in musical instruments and are appreciating the difference in their tone and timbre. Also, the radio has helped the sale of really good band and orchestra music."

The radio has unquestionably cut into the sale of the lower priced pianos. It has also cut into the sale of the higher priced pianos. The radio has cut into the sale of the lower priced pianos. It has also cut into the sale of the higher priced pianos.

"I understand some of the phonograph people are turning their attention more closely to radio, some are turning into that line themselves. Others are not so worried, however, although at first glance it might seem strange that they are not. The reason is that the radio will help sales just as it will help piano sales, since so many radio fans will hear popular pieces by the best orchestras and performers and will have created within them a desire to have the same effect on their own instruments."

A number of other Chicago piano dealers bore out O'Connor's statement. Some of the twenty-two large retail music stores in Chicago, however, showed that sales in the last year of musical instruments of all kinds were higher than in 1923. Some of the merchants, however, admitted there had been a falling off in phonograph sales. A few estimated this decline at 10 per cent, while others said they noted only a slight drop in demand.

The remarkable improvement made in the simplification of radio sets has been fully enabled by the betterment of the broadcast programs. While the hearers have not been able to signify by applause or hisses, their approval or disapproval of individual programs, they have not been backward in letting their voices be heard by letter and what did not appear to be carefully studied and prepared, now are being worked out along lines calculated to amuse and interest as many radio fans as possible.

FINANCIAL NOTES

Preliminary steps looking toward the increase of the Moreland Motor Truck Company's capital stock from \$2,500,000 to \$5,000,000 are now being taken. A meeting of the board of directors was held on March 10 to consider the proposition. The year 1923 was by far the largest year in the history of the company and the capital stock was increased to \$5,000,000. The year 1923 was by far the largest year in the history of the company and the capital stock was increased to \$5,000,000.

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BUSINESS AND FINANCE

By H. S. SCOTT.

Stock prices east and west were up briskly yesterday in response to a further improvement in general business conditions as reflected in various trade and mercantile reviews.

Standard Oil and General Petroleum were the particularly strong members among the California oils while Hawaiian Commercial and Honolulu Plantation were substantial supporters of the sugar strength.

In Wall street steel was a strong feature, selling at 10 1/2, up one from the close. Trade reports were excellent. Sloss Sheffield sold at 6 1/2, up nearly 3 a share from the previous close. Dividend action is expected. Shorts in the oil group were covering as the market closed.

Brooklyn - Manhattan shares, which have been sluggish, came to the fore with the preferred selling up to 55, up four points from the recent low. Southern Railway was the active and strong feature of the final minutes and sold up to 42, up one from the previous close. The French franc gained 1 1/2 points over the holiday on news of Poincaré's new taxation plan and sold at 4 1/2, up 26 points from its recent low.

Bond prices were the rule yesterday. Belgian 8's, with a brisk advance of more than a point, led the foreign list to higher ground. Many of the French municipals recorded a sharp advance. The 4 1/2 per cent of the Poincaré 6's and Czechoslovakia 8's. The 8 per cent bonds of the Pierce Oil company, which is reported ready to do additional financing, moved 1 1/2 points, public utilities issues were in good demand but price movements in the railroad group were narrow.

Alternate periods of weakness and strength characterized the week as a whole, which was substantially based on political developments in Washington. Prices were headed upward again towards the close of the week. Trade news generally was of a constructive nature, and the market was principally being a continuation of record-breaking car loadings for this season of the year, expanding steel operations and higher copper prices.

Bond prices were reactionary, presumably on the withdrawal of support afforded in connection with the Japanese government loan, which were over-subscribed by \$100,000,000. The extension of the Garner tax reduction plan for the Mellon plan by the House of Representatives.

Foreign exchanges were depressed, the French and Belgian currencies establishing new low records for all time on speculative selling undoubtedly influenced by the delay in the adoption of Premier Poincaré's fiscal program. Sterling exchange was adversely affected by the dock workers' strike. All European currencies showed signs of recovery towards the end of the week on the announcement of a plan by the experts' committee, for the payment of German reparations and settlement of the British dock workers' strike. Dividend news was rather large, the increase in the amount on Gulf States Steel from \$4 to \$5 being offset by the passing of the quarterly payment on National Enameling.

Time money and commercial paper were relatively firm around 4 1/2 and 5 per cent, but call funds dropped to 4 per cent on the New York stock exchange and was obtainable as low as 3 1/2 in the outside market. Bankers' loans were a substantial reduction in brokers' loans in the last three weeks, the total now being estimated around \$1,380,000,000.

Among the price movements during the week which attracted attention on the New York Curb was an advance of forty points in Chesapeake, which sold at the new high of 45. Sloss Refractories moved up 20 points from its first level of the week before to 225. Prairie Oil, after declining to 220 in the period of weakness, rallied to 237 1/2 and Magnolia Oil rose from the low of 14 1/2 to a high of 15 1/2.

Standard Oil of Indiana, after falling to 59 1/2 rose some 3 points, and Standard Oil of Ohio, after first falling to 205, moved up to 210. Industrial issues moved within a narrower range.

Near approach of the time when crop scores are to be expected did a good deal toward lifting the value of wheat during the week. Compared with a week ago, wheat advanced 1/2 to 3/4, up one to 1 1/2 advance and provisions ranged from 7c decline to a rise of 2c. In addition to a definite evidence of damage to the wheat crop is usually disclosed within a fortnight from the buying side of the wheat market showed them. The Chicago stock of wheat, the largest, was advanced 1/2 to 3/4, up one to 1 1/2 advance and provisions ranged from 7c decline to a rise of 2c.

Calumet and Hecla Copper Company quarterly dividend of 15 cents, payable March 24 to stock of March 23. Chesapeake Company - Regular quarterly dividend of 15 cents on common and 15 cents on preferred, payable March 24 to stock of March 23. Chesapeake Company - Regular quarterly dividend of 15 cents on common and 15 cents on preferred, payable March 24 to stock of March 23.

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Vestees, circular collars, sport ties and collar and cuff sets in a diversified assortment.

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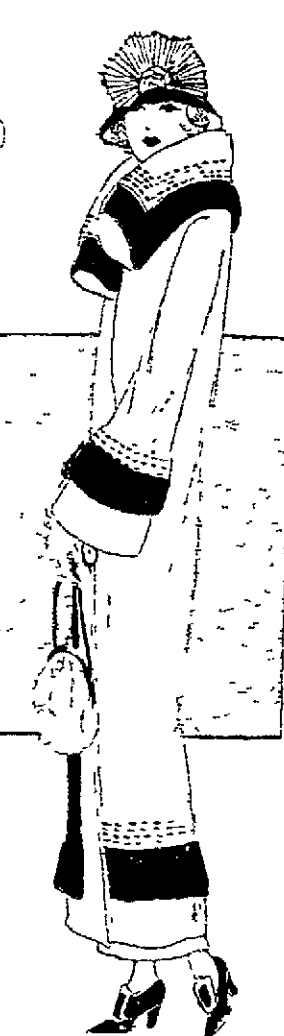
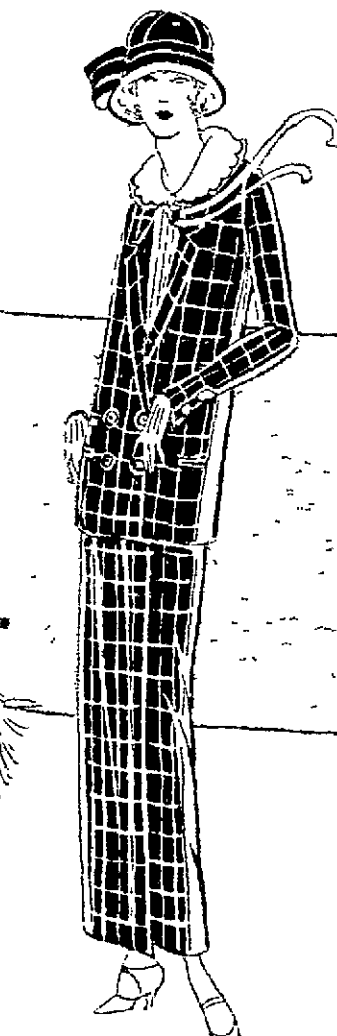
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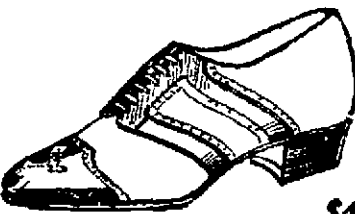
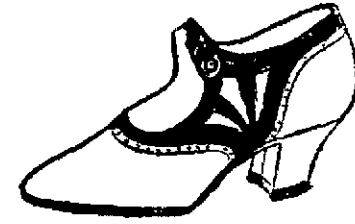
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Model hats from the foremost makers of smart spring millinery. A few of the splendid models are sketched from this group. There are many other styles just as alluring.

Chic, close-fitting cloche hats so popular in Paris, New York, Chicago and Oakland right now. Smart turbans and off-the-face styles. Trimmings of ribbon, flowers and feather fancies. Ordinarily you would expect these hats to be priced much higher, but owing to the very favorable conditions of this special purchase we are able to mark them extremely low at \$11.50. Visit the Millinery Department and French Rooms, Second Floor.

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Also an extensive line of the famous Queen Make and Fleur de Lis dresses. Such manufacturers guarantee the style, material and workmanship.

Select from linens, tissues, ginghams, voiles in sizes 16 to 46. Shades of peach, rose, copen, Alice blue, white, tan, green, gray.

\$3.45 to \$29.50



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Just to say "Hand-made" blouses is not enough. These dainty waists are exquisite in colorings—orchid, corn, copen and peach as well as white. Trimmings are of dainty trills and hand made lace of filet or Irish lace. "Peggy's" that are as smart as can be. Every tiny stitch hand made. Sheer French voiles that will be welcomed to your wardrobe. Sizes 36 to 46.

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Mr. William Burke, John Austin, with

the vogue of many years ago honor Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Hawley February 26. They are the daughters of Mrs. Leonard Abbott and Thomas W. Harris, Jr., the ceremony to be entertained at dinner at the Clare- of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Devlin of read Thursday, February 28, in Tuesday evening the members

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Golf and Polo At Del Monte Divert Crowds

The attractions of golf and polo proved a great stimulus to the past week for the fashionable colonies of Del Monte and Pebble Beach, drawing hundreds of people from every part of the state. Practically every country club of note not only in California but throughout the west was represented by the golfers entered in the Pebble Beach Women's Golf championship, and the gallery which followed the play was equally as representative of the western social world. Over the gay week-end numbers of socially prominent hostesses dined and feted the fair golfers, lending a spirit to the occasion that gave to Pebble Beach and Del Monte as brilliant a week-end as it has known.

The William W. Crocker, recently returned from their European honeymoon, were in the gallery. Mrs. Crocker, in a tan knit dress, tan sport coat and chic hat of the same hue, was a smart figure. Miss Joan Michler, of Santa Barbara, noted horsewoman and golfer, was one of the most attractive figures on the links.

One of the largest week-end parties was given at Del Monte Lodge Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. George W. Nichel of Burlingame, for the Eastern golfers. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. William Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Swinerton, Mr. and Mrs. George Nichel, Mr. and Mrs. Byington Ford, Misses Edith Cummings, Rosamund Sherwood, Margaret Cameron, Dorcas Kavanagh, Mildred Landreth, Barbara Senon and Doris Fagan. Mrs. Luther Kennett, Mrs. Francis McComas and Mrs. William Mitchell. Messrs. George McNear, Porter Senon, Vincent Whitney, Roger Lapham, Harry Scott and Turey L. Ford Jr.

Another gay party was that given by Mr. Charles Blythe of Burlingame. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus G. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Tobin, Dr. and Mrs. Max Rothschild, Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Ford and Miss Katherine Ramsay.

Celebrating her victory in the Pebble Beach women's championship, Miss Marion Hellins entertained Tuesday night at a dinner at Del Monte Lodge. Guests included all of the visiting golfers.

Prominent among the parties at Del Monte to witness the polo was that of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Tobin of Burlingame, which included Miss Katherine Ramsay and Charles R. Blythe, of Burlingame, and others. The George W. Nichels and their party, including Harry H. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ford formed another interesting group.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Brown of San Francisco were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Kuster who gave a small party in their honor on Sunday evening.

C. Halstead Yates spent several days in San Francisco this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashfield Stowe, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Stone's mother, the Baroness Nugent, in Mrs. MacDonald's house on North Monte Verde street.

Mrs. Charles King Van Riper entertained a small group of her friends at a bridge party on Tuesday evening at her home on Mission Point.

Mrs. Gene Byrnes, wife of Gene Byrnes, cartoonist, was hostess at an enjoyable dinner party recently when her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leon Wilson, Mrs. Martha

Miss Frances Brattain, Eastbay bride-elect who was the guest of honor at a bridge tea given by Miss Margaret Stewart, U. C. Co-ed Friday afternoon.—Boye photo.



Newcomb. Mrs. Isabel Chamberlain, Samuel Blythe, and Frank Gordon.

Robert Tolmie of Piedmont visited his sister, Miss Blanche Tolmie of Carmel over the week-end.

William Ritschel, famous marine painter, has closed his studio at the Carmel Highlands and has left for the East. He is planning an extensive trip in Europe and the Orient.

Mrs. M. C. Chapin and her daughter, Miss Marie Chapin, of San Francisco, are spending several weeks in their Carmel home.

Judge and Mrs. Thomas Taylor of Chicago, are planning to return to Carmel for the month of March and will occupy their cottage on Casanova street.

Mopping Up Moscow Now in Full Swing

MOSCOW, Russia, Feb. 23.—The Soviet authorities are continuing the "mopping up" of undesirables. Professional gamblers, money speculators and everyone else without a recognized legal occupation will be deported to certain fixed places. Their quarters will be confiscated and handed over to the Soviet officials for redistribution.

The council of people's commissaries is now considering a project of stringently regulating the fluctuations of all Moscow visitors. The project provides that no stranger can stay longer than one month in Moscow unless he has been transferred from some state institution to Moscow to work there or unless he has been detained by official business.

The penalty is a fine of from 100 to 500 gold rubles and expulsion from Moscow for three years.

Salvation Lassie Stands By Flapper

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 23.—Even though she swears, wears little, drinks gin, goes on "neeking parties," plays poker, smokes and stays out all night, the modern girl is made of "sugar and spice and everything nice," the same as the sad sister of yesterday or Rhoda Crawford, 25 years old evangelist, doesn't know enough to pound sand in a rat hole. She will tell anybody that.

And, just as sure as she is sure of this she is sure modern boys are made of "snaps and snails and puppy dog tails!"

"There's nothing wrong with our girls. The boys are to blame. The girls are just what the boys want them to be. They may be wrong a lot of times in deciding what boys want them to be, but they are doing their damndest to find out. Whatever it is, their inherent decency can be depended upon to protect them from bad results." So there.

Drives Engine On Same Run 43 Years

By International News Service.

WINSTED, Conn., Feb. 23.—There is something about driving a locomotive through the rugged uplands where the Central New England railroad runs that is just what John E. Holcomb likes. For 43 years Holcomb has been an engineer on the same run; he has had but two accidents, and neither was his fault; he has never had a passenger or a fellow employee injured, and he has never been disciplined for any neglect of duty. Holcomb will be 65 March 1, 1924, but if he didn't admit the fact no one would know it. Just the other day Holcomb went down to Danbury to take an eyesight test and came through it with flying colors.

400 Gather for Fete Sponsored By Penwomen

THE French Fete, whereat Mrs. Adolph A. Spreckels was honored by her fellow-members of the Penwomen's League, gathered together 400 representative men and women on Tuesday at the Fairmont—a testimony of appreciation of the great War Memorial given by the San Francisco to California in honor of her hero dead.

Few American women have conceived and carried out so glorious a scheme," said John W. Mitchell, art collector and world-traveler from the South, "and it took brains and fortitude and will to accomplish it. And let me say that, after having visited—and studied—every art gallery of note in the world—the Uffizi, Pitti, the Louvre, the Luxembourg, the Prado, the great galleries in Rome and of London, I want to say to you that the Palace of the Legion of Honor, out there on the broad bluffs overlooking the Pacific, is the most perfect example of what an art museum should be. And I want to congratulate the architect, George A. Applegarth, upon his achievement. California should know—and know at once—what a supremely beautiful museum has been bestowed upon it for all the ages. "And," continued the speaker, "the donors—Mr. and Mrs. Spreckels—have built for the spiritual betterment of the race in making possible the contemplation of art on the furthestmost edge of the West—for art feeds the spirit."

After talks by Colonel Stanton, Judge John F. Davis and greetings from Mayor James Rolph and his personal expressions of appreciation of the architectural monument and its high purpose, the Penwomen, truly Gallic in their spirit and devotion to art, shared the program with a group of harpists under Mrs. McCauley—all in the beguiling costumes of the period of Louis XV.

And then tea, when the beflowered tables were gay with visiting. A long list of honor-guests having been penned in behind the speaker's table emerged to visit about among them the consuls from many countries, and men and women distinguished in the arts and letters in and about Central California.

Mrs. Frederick C. Colburn guided the affair with all its Pompadourian beauty through to success, registering an epochal episode. Incidentally, it was stated that it was the desire of Mr. and Mrs. Spreckels to have the museum ready for dedication on Armistice Day.

Mrs. Donald Hale entertained on Friday evening at her home in Carmel Woods in honor of Mrs. Frederick Becholdt.

COMPLETES 40 YEARS' SERVICE FIGHTING FIRES

"Smoky Joe" Martin of New York. Now Rated As World Champion Fireman.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—You know "Smoky Joe," of course. Everybody does—that is, everybody who reads the newspapers. For forty years now "Smoky Joe's" name has been repeated in story and headline. To call the time he went into the blazing box factory over on the Bowery and rescued thirteen imprisoned girls? Then there was his heroic work in the great Equitable fire; the Java street warehouse disaster, the Rockaway Peninsula blaze, the great oil conflagration at Greenpoint—all parts of America's fighting history.

And so now they have crowned Joseph B. Martin "World's Champion Fireman."

"Smoky Joe" has been forty years earning the title.

SEEMS SHORTER. "Forty years!" It's "Smoky Joe" speaking. "Gosh! Who'd think it? Don't seem like ten. Remember my first fire well. It was a box factory—Smoky Joe," like all true firemen, refers to all great fires, not by the name of the building destroyed, but by the nearest alarm-box number.

"I was a kid. Been raised just over the fence from old Twenty-seven Engine. Always wanted to join the gang. They took me on. From that day to this 'Smoky Joe' has never had a calldown. Always he has worked in the downtown district—and always he has lived over by the gas house and Twenty-seven Engine.

His rise to Assistant Fire Chief of New York was rapid. "Smoky Joe" knew how to fight fires—and he fought them.

Many's the tale he can tell. Always he makes "the boys" the hero.

"Where did I get the name 'Smoky Joe'?"

"I'll tell you. We had a fire at Box 141. It was a warehouse blaze—a son of a gun. Many of us went out that night with the smoke. I ate my share. One of the newspapermen happened to see me stretched out fighting for air. I wasn't hurt much, so I got up, grabbed my hose and went at it again. That reporter called me 'Smoky Joe.' The name stuck."

And from that day to this Joseph B. Martin is known in every fire headquarters from New York to Frisco as "Smoky Joe."

"I ought to be good for ten years yet," Martin said. "That would

put me fifty years in the service!" personally aids at more than 2,000 fires a year.

That's why he has been crowned World's Champion Fireman.

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WOMEN and THEIR WORK

Several Hundred Clubwomen Will Congregate

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visions to the consideration of the convention body.

Before the noon recess Mrs. Frederick G. Athearn of Berkeley will give a talk on "Why Appear in Print," the subject of which will be answered by Miss Edna B. Kinnard on the noon program.

"Sherlocking in Real Life" is the interesting topic which Dr. John Adams, University of London, who is now in Berkeley, has chosen for the principal address of the afternoon. Preceding his lecture there will be presented under the direction of Mrs. George F. West, department chairman, a demonstration of a model class in American citizenship. Those who will participate are, Mrs. W. E. Metcalf, Rockridge Women's Club; Mrs. A. E. Thurston, Fruitvale Women's Club; Mrs. F. P. Porter, Park Boulevard Women's Club; Mrs. Paul L. Evans, Adeline Club; Mrs. Lulu Blanchard, Glenview Women's Club; Mrs. E. B. Schuyler, Northbrae Women's Club; Mrs. J. M. Adams, Country Club of Washington Township; Mrs. Laura Klyne, University Mothers' Club.

Mrs. L. G. Leonard, president, will preside throughout the day.

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board of directors of the Public Health Center, will preside as chairman. Activities of the two health organizations in the past year will be reviewed by Knowland and by Miss Annie Florence Brown, president of the tuberculosis association.

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Women Voters League Will Be Meeting Host

Berkeley League of Women Voters will be hostess at a union meeting of neighboring centers and leagues on Wednesday afternoon in Unity Hall, presenting a group of state chairmen in a program of addresses. The speakers will be Mrs. Frank G. Law, chairman of the department of efficiency in government; Miss Ethel Richardson, chairman of the department of education; Mrs. Mary Day Harris, chairman of the department on living costs. They will review the program of activities of the California League of Women Voters along these several lines.

The state leaders together with the visiting president will be made the guests of honor at a tea which will follow the conclusion of the program.

Mrs. H. N. Herrick is president of the hostess league.

To create a treasury which will provide entertainment to the several hundred clubwomen who will be San Leandro's guests next April, Alta Mira Club will hostess an elaborate card party tomorrow, Mrs. C. C. Stokes is managing the party.

Mrs. L. S. Pratt, president, the board of directors and the entire membership are giving over strenuous days to arranging details for the entertainment of the annual convention of Alameda district, California Federation of Women's Clubs. The local board has already been organized and is deep in plans for the housing and entertainment of the delegates who will come from all parts of Alameda, Contra Costa, San Joaquin, Tuolumne and Calaveras counties.

"Needed Changes in School Legislation" is the theme which has been announced for study by members of the educational section of the San Francisco Bay Branch of the American Association of University Women on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Harriet J. Ebel is chairman. The forthrightly discussions which cover a wide field of subjects are held in the San Francisco headquarters.

Club Sections Announce Topics

"Business Women and Economics" is the subject which Mrs. Edward Dexter Knight has announced for the talk which she will give Tuesday evening following the dinner of the section of business and professional women who are members of the College Women's Club. Mrs. Knight is a past president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs and for many years has been actively identified with its activities. Dr. Eudora Axel is chairman of the group which will be her hostess this week.

Mrs. Anne Biddle Andrews will be the speaker before the current events section on Thursday afternoon, offering "Observations on a European Tour." At a program following adjournment of this section, the women who are making a study of fiction will listen to a review of "Rise and Fall" (Arnold Bennett) by Miss Grace B. Davis.

The literature section will meet tomorrow to consider the writings of May Sinclair. The books upon which the discussion will be founded are "The Divine Fire," "The Three Sisters" and "Mary Oliver."

The Oakland Woman's Rowing Club is launching a new season under the leadership of Mrs. Eva Cromarty, who was elected to the presidency this month. At the annual meeting the activities of the past year were reviewed by the reorganizing board and a welcome given to the incoming officers. Those who will be affiliated with Mrs. Cromarty in directing the work of this recreational club which finds its interest on Lake Merritt are: Vice president, Mrs. Harry Boyle; secretary, Mrs. Mary Egan; treasurer, Mrs. Adams; attendance keeper, Mrs. Skaggs. The Rowing Club has a membership of about 50 women who give over each Wednesday morning to a few hours' practice on the lake. The first Wednesday of the month adds a business session at the boat house to the regular program. With the coming of the good weather, a racing crew will be organized to participate in a series of regattas. Women of the city interested in water sports are eligible for membership in the recreational organization. The annual luncheon is being planned for March in the De Fremery clubhouse.

Manuscripts for the short play contest which is being carried on by the department of American Citizenship in Alameda district, California Federation of Women's Clubs, must be in the hands of Mrs. Albert E. Carter, 552 Montclair avenue, tomorrow. A cash reward of \$50 and the honor of production during the annual district convention, April 3-5, in San Leandro, will be given the successful playwright. The contest was opened to men and women alike irrespective of club affiliations. American Citizenship was announced as the general theme for the play, which must be written for production by a woman's group and in accordance with the federal program in citizenship. The reading length of the skit must not exceed a half hour. A board of judges has been named as follows: Mrs. Pearl King Tanner, Mrs. Grant D. Miller, Mrs. W. G. Ferguson, Joseph R. Knowland, Charles S. Young. Mrs. Carter will turn over promptly all manuscripts received by her in the competition to the judges who, as soon as possible, will announce the winner.

The annual colonial card party which will offer bridge and whist for diversion, is the charming function announced for tomorrow by the Pacific Coast Press Association. Many of those participating in the affair will don the patches and ruffles of their great grandmother's day. A large delegation of guests will cross the bay to join the Press Association women in their festivities in Sequoia clubhouse, San Francisco. A colonial program is scheduled for the hour beginning at 1:30 p. m. "Washington's Vision," written and produced under the direction of Mrs. Marie Weiss, a member, will be given by a local cast. "Washington's Watch" will be read by Mrs. Olivia Galbraith Wright, also an association member. Mme. Antae K. Blotchy will render a group of costume songs.

Women to whom a study of the law appeals yet who are not caring to take too technical a training, are finding a real opportunity in the complimentary course which was organized last Wednesday in the Technical Continuation school, 1015 Second street and Broadway. R. R. Stuart, principal, is the instructor of the class. The subjects which will be taken up include contracts, deeds, mortgages, bailments, personal property rights, agency, investments, etc. Special attention will be given the community property laws of California.

The piano study section of the Twentieth Century Club of Berkeley will launch its career on Tuesday afternoon when the students of music assemble for the first time in the newly organized group. The object of this particular section will be the study of the development of compositions for the piano, their meaning, instrumentation, theme, rhythm, melody and color covering the period from the Old Masters to modern composers. Mrs. George Calico is the leader.

"Travels in Europe" will be the theme of the informal talk which will be given at the luncheon program of the Soroptimist Club of Alameda County at Hotel Oakland tomorrow by Dr. John Snape. Mrs. Ida Stornberg will be the soloist. The program has been arranged by a group of which Mrs. Marie C. Stiles is chairman and which numbers Mrs. Sylvia G. Ward, Mrs. Louise M. Glaser, Mrs. Lillian Blake, Mrs. Isabel C. Jenkins and Mrs. Virginia Diehl.

The Mah Jongg and Bridge section of the Monday Evening Club will entertain at 6:30 Webster avenue on Friday afternoon. Mrs. R. D. Papandre is chairman of this special group. Mrs. George S. Beadle is president of the organization which gives its interest largely to those who lack the material things which bring opportunity.

Cleveland Parent-Teacher Association will give over Tuesday afternoon to a business session. The forerunner of the annual election in March will lend special interest in the naming of that body which will present the official ticket.

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Formal Call Sent Out For Annual Meeting

Mrs. Elton L. Warner, president of Alameda district, California Federation of Women's Clubs, sent out last week the formal call for the twenty-third annual convention which will be held in San Leandro, April 3-5, at the invitation of the Alta Mira Club.

"Home, Our Sanctuary," has been announced as the convention theme. Mrs. William Wright Robson, chairman of program, is already at work building up the three day program which will include a brilliant dinner.

Convention chairmen have been announced as follows: Program, Mrs. Robson, Oakland; credentials, Mrs. Katherine F. Goodall, Oakland; Resolutions, Mrs. F. S. Cook, Brentwood; housing, Mrs. Charles W. Harris, San Leandro; entertainment and excursions, Mrs. H. C. Barton.

The Estudillo House has been designated the official headquarters. Private homes will be thrown open to welcome the several hundred visitors. The convention program will be given in Masonic Hall. The local board, composed of San Leandro clubwomen, is actively engaged in plans for the comfort and diversion of the city's visitors.

The convention dates fall in that period of time when San Leandro is usually loveliest in spring blossoms. It is expected that the cherry trees will be in full bloom during this first week in April.

Lakeview Club will give over the program tomorrow to the literary section of which Mrs. Martin Monson is curator. The following program will be presented: "Life of Christ," by Giovanni Papini, translated by Dorothy Canfield Fisher; by Mrs. Gilbert Oakley, "Russian Life and Literature," by Dostoevski. Review by Mrs. I. F. Chapman. "Faust," by Zola Gale. Review by Mrs. C. H. Mitchell. Sketch of Author's Life by Mrs. Charles Christensen. Mrs. Charles W. Carter will preside at the tea tables assisted by Mrs. A. B. Coleman. Mrs. Thomas C. Eaglesome, Mrs. J. W. Curtis.

An afternoon with negro music is announced by the music history section of the Adeline Club for Friday. Mrs. F. B. Weeks has prepared the paper on three noted negro composers—Coolidge, Taylor, Harris, Burleigh and H. T. Dett, including negro dialect and spiritual music. The discussion will be illustrated by groups of compositions rendered by Mrs. Charles B. Greely, soprano; Mrs. John Hollingshead, soprano; Mrs. J. A. L. Taylor, contralto; Charles Fisher, baritone, and Miss Betty Willemain, piano. Mrs. H. C. Bennett and Mrs. G. H. Anderson will be hostesses of the afternoon.

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Club Designates Committee on Nominations

The Oakland Club has set about the preliminaries for the annual election by naming to the nominating committee Mrs. C. B. Merser, Mrs. O. B. Caldwell, Mrs. J. M. Bonner, Mrs. Fred E. Adams, Mrs. Charles L. Taber, Mrs. J. J. Earle, Mrs. George Harrison. The official ticket will be reported at the April business meeting.

Participation in the annual convention of the Alameda County Federation of Women's Clubs in Alameda on Thursday is assured to the Oakland Club in the election of the following delegates and alternates: delegates, Miss Theresa Russett, Mrs. Fred E. Adams, Mrs. C. B. Pearson, Mrs. Lulu Blanchard, Mrs. J. J. Earle; alternates, Mrs. A. C. Harvey, Mrs. Gay Rosenbloom, Mrs. Jack Dodson, Mrs. E. G. Spore.

The study sections claim the center of interest on Wednesday. Interesting programs have been arranged by the chairman of each group.

The inaugural meeting of the salon of the American College Club in the Eastbay cities is scheduled for Wednesday in the rose room of Hotel Oakland when Raine Bennett will give an interpretation of "The Raven." The value of a cultural salon will be pointed out by Miss Jean MacMillan and Mrs. O. M. Bennett. A half hour of music will be presented under the direction of Miss Zaneta Porter. A group of local women interested in the movement will pour tea.

The Eastbay Delphian Society is putting aside its serious program on Friday to entertain at a musical and cards the many friends of its members. The rose room of Hotel Oakland will lend setting to the pre-lenten festivity. The officers and leaders of study groups will assist in receiving. At each table the guests will select their own game—bridge, whist or mah jongg. The musical numbers will be rendered by a group of well known local artists.

Guests Invited To Club Benefit

To add a substantial sum to the building fund, the Woman's Auxiliary of the Montclair Improvement Club is asking eighty guests to share its hospitality at a benefit on Wednesday. Mrs. R. E. Ford is opening her attractive suburban home at Estates Drive and Bullock avenue for a card party and tea. Accommodations will be offered to twenty tables. A bevy of young girls banded together in the "Keep Smiling Club," will assist their mothers in scoring and serving tea. Some tiny tots of the district will become vendors of delicious home-made candy.

The club already has a scenic site on Thornhill Road near Moraga on which it is planned to erect a clubhouse which shall become a community center. Although a neighborhood organization, the auxiliary covers that wide area which includes Montclair, Fremont, Pinehaven and Glenwood.

The officers who are directing the activities of the club of twenty members are: President, Mrs. F. M. Johns; vice-president, Mrs. J. E. Flord; secretary, Mrs. E. P. Jensen; treasurer, Mrs. Stanton W. Lore.

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Vaudeville Will Be Presented At Club Session

Vaudeville Specialties is the title which has been given the program which will be presented before Ebell members and guests Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Harry B. Howell is directing the unique entertainment.

Mrs. Charles Leonard Smith will preside as hostess of the day. Mrs. D. B. Hunter will offer the manuscript story before the Original Writers section on Thursday morning. Competitive stories will be submitted by the clubwomen engaged in this interesting study.

Mrs. W. G. Ferguson is curator, assisted by Mrs. Albert Smith. Miniature painting in enamel will be considered by the Decoration section on Wednesday morning under the leadership of Mrs. Harry Marsden Lawrence, curator.

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Artists and Their Work

Artist Pays Tribute to Fellow Painter

By LAURA BRIDE POWERS.

I WANT to study under that man," said the artist, standing in front of Frank Van Sloun's "Artist and Model" in the City of Paris gallery yesterday. "provided I'll let me come to him on the same terms as any of the other students"—this from Ralph Pielke, whose intensely personal work has been the knockout (pardon!) of the current show.

That's the spirit that has developed the art-worshipper into the artist today. In spite of the crushing and crowding and loud shouting of trade-art, when he should be free—spiritually and financially—to create—as indeed all true artists should be.

And the creator of the studies on the east wall who has made us sit up and rub our eyes—always half-blind to the lovely quiet things of life—called together a group of artists to note the qualities that go to make the Van Sloun patch of wall a place to tarry. "That painting," said young Nazare, pointing to the "Artist and Model," would find a place in any gallery in the world." And the young Frenchman speaks with the discernment of one who knows his art from the viewpoint of artist and critic—fresh from the ateliers and galleries of Paris and London.

That's the kind of spirit that will help to make our "art movement" move. And God knows even better than we how badly it needs to move. Even our masters—as the French reverently use the term—are not producing as their capacity warrants. Perhaps, the artist who is the best of us, but let us ask ourselves if it may not largely be due to the wholly insufficient support given the artists in proportion to the wealth of the San Francisco bay country.

Yes—you are right in assuming that many of our townfolk buy their paintings by Californians in New York. It gives them an "air." Besides the "art-lover," pays twice or three times as much as he—because it is usually she—who would be called upon to pay in the studios here at some packing, insurance, freight, and exhibition expenses in New York galleries must be added, you see, to the studio price. "Why don't people think of that?"

However, the psychology behind it is as old as the world. "Cows far away wear big horns," is an old Irish way of expressing it. However, the important thing is that the artist and the patron come together for their mutual growth, whether it be accomplished under our own azure sky or in the glare of New York.

And by the way, how many lovers of art about the bay know where the studios of our well-known painters are located? Also that visitors are welcome, if the artist can be notified. It is true that the studios are not so picturesque today as they were in the days before 1906. Just workshops now. Golden days the way along Montgomery street from the foot of Telegraph Hill to Sutter, where poor Amadee Joullin's gold-walled studio was the last on the right.

Ralph Stackpole, 712 Montgomery street.
Nelson Poole, 712 Montgomery street.
Gottardo Piazzoni, 512 Montgomery street.
Clark Hobart, 1371 Post street.
Lee Randolph, California and Mason.
Beniamino Bufano, Palace of Fine Arts.
Frank Van Sloun, 1617 California street.
Genevieve Rixford Sargeant, San Francisco.
William H. Clapp, Oakland Art Gallery.
Maynard Dixon, 725 Montgomery street.
Ray Boynton, Ridge Road, Berkeley.
The Mackys, Constance and Spencer, Buena Vista avenue.
Matteo Sandona, 471 Buena Vista avenue.
Philip Lewis, Claremont.
Charles J. Dickman, 612 Montgomery street.
Eugene Newhaus, Berkeley.
A dozen or two more can be added, but here's a start.

Water-Color Show Tops Guest Record

THE Third International Water-Color Exhibition at the Oakland Art Gallery takes the year record for attendance. But it is taken for granted that any show Robert H. Fisher, would send from the Chicago Art Institute to the Oakland gallery would be good.

The galleries sparkle with color. A good place to tarry in it spring after's coming on. It will tide you over till free days come, to turn loose in the hills and in the green valleys that purple in the shadows. Again, let me reiterate the fact that the American painters score higher than the foreigners, interesting as most of them are. And let it be said in passing that not an unworthy thing is on the walls. Too consistent an arbiter of art is our old friend Harker, for that, but there are some "batters" and some "heats" from varying viewpoints.

WAPIER ENGINE ADOPTED LONDON.—Claimed to be the latest in the world, the 100-horsepower Napier aero engine has been officially accepted by the British Air Ministry, after a strenuous test which included running on the bench for fifty-three hours.

TRIBUTE TO U. S. PRIEST.—MIDDLETON, Ireland.—The local council adopted memorial resolutions for the Very Rev. Michael C. Daly, who died at San Francisco, last.

Etching by Frances Brooks, young California artist whose work abroad is attracting the attention of the discriminating. The painter left two years ago for a period of study in Holland, France and Italy. Big things are looked for from her—a splendid type of California girl, mentally and physically.



Tokyo Unprotected In Air Says Doctor

(By International News Service.) TOKYO, Feb. 23.—The latest feature of the campaign to move the capital from Tokyo to Kobe or Kyoto, the ancient capital, is the claim of Dr. Shikichi Iyosugi, a professor at the Imperial University, that Tokyo cannot be defended from an air attack. He also declares Tokyo is too far from the geographical center of Japan and lacks sufficient historical and spiritual associations.

Bulgarian Reds and Agrarians Active

(By International News Service.) SOFIA, Feb. 23.—Exiled communists and agrarians, banished from Bulgaria after the September uprising, are returning to the country and are planning a new revolt, according to government authorities, who are pressing for enactment of a strong sedition law. Two thousand refugees are said to be in Serbia and to have participated in attacks on Bulgarian frontier towns.

WOMEN REPLACE OLD 'CONSTABULE'

LIMA, Ohio, Feb. 23.—The old days when town constables were chosen because of the length of their mustaches—those with the longest and droopiest ones winning—have gone. Their disappearance is attributed to the primary voting system.

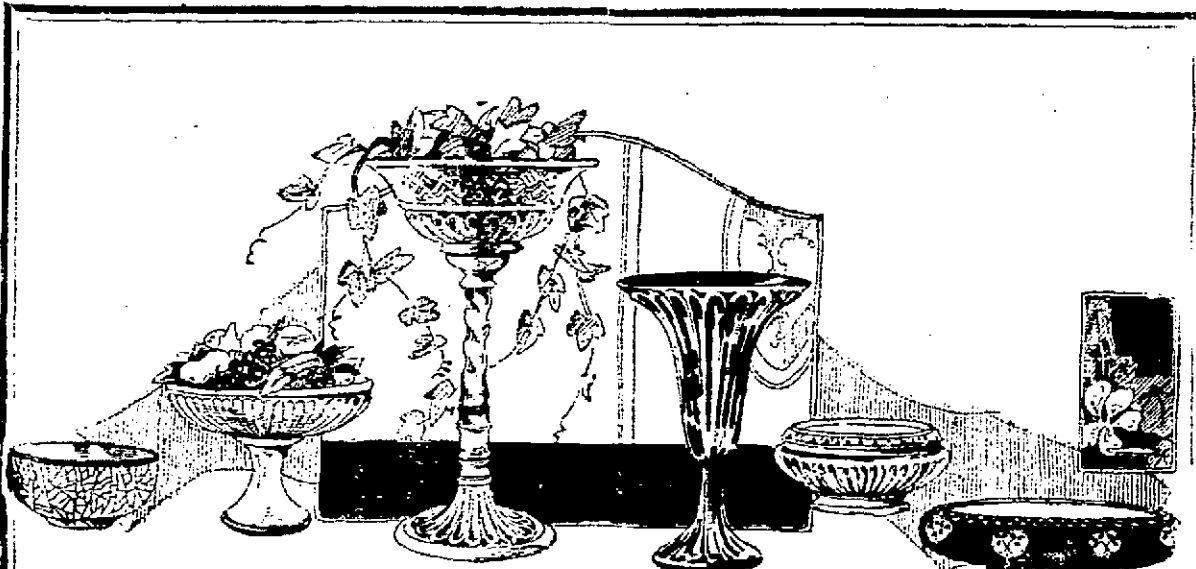
Instead of the old-time constable, who whittled a stick in the shade of the wooden awning in front of the general store, chewed plug-cut and swapped yarns when not busy polishing his badge, three women have been chosen in Allen county to keep the peace.

Triplets Marry at Triple Ceremony

SHEPHERD, Eng., Feb. 23.—Misses Florence, Louise and Helen Ware, triplet sisters, were married at the same time in a triple ceremony. When they departed on their honeymoons with their respective husbands they were separated for the first time since their birth. They had attended the same school and taken exactly the same courses of study, ranking practically the same in each. More than 2,000 guests attended the ceremony and the gifts to the three brides were valued at more than \$20,000.

Multiplied Crimes to Result in Execution

(By International News Service.) MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 23.—Apparently dissatisfied with a short sentence for forgery, Clarence Bailey, after reaching the State Penitentiary, killed a fellow convict following a quarrel between the two. For this his short term was stretched to a life sentence.



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John Carlson Exhibiting At Gump's

John F. Carlson of New York, who has long intrigued us with his brilliant bits of color composition, has come at last to us with what appears to be a representative exhibition.

His work at the Exposition familiarized followers of the game with his point of view and his art personality. On the strength of them he drew down a silver medal.

The exhibition at Gump's follows his contribution to the Third International Water Color Exhibition at the Oakland Art Gallery, of which mention was made in this department last week.

The artist has grown—as would be expected of so earnest and penetrating a soul—since his appearance at our 1915 party. His handling is looser and bolder. He sees things in a larger way. His work is more opulent, and his power to interpret it consequently deeper and more subjective.

The painter is of that glorious crowd of color worshippers who have come into their flowering by feeling their way up—not arriving like the kangaroo, by jumps. And therefore a subtlety, a refinement, is expressed in his canvases that

GIRL THWARTS DRY OFFICERS IN GEORGIA RAIDS

Telephone Rings, Shots Are Fired and Moonshiners Beat Hasty Retreat.

GAINESVILLE, Ga., Feb. 23.—Another instance of a rosy-cheeked mountain girl, with placid blue eyes, thwarting the plans of prohibition agents, by warning moonshiners of their approach was reported here.

The artist reflects some of the qualities of his sturdy race—a fixity of purpose, a conservation of his powers for the thing in hand.

He left Sweden, however, at twelve, coming to New York, where he found his place among the hordes of newcomers who must win their bread by working hard.

But the spirit of the artist—a gift that cannot be counterfeited by mere desire to paint—sent him in his leisure hours—and they were often stolen from sleep, and always from recreation—to studying art. He WOULD be an artist.

And he is. An hour with him in the quiet room is good. The exhibition will remain for another week.

vented by local officers recently upon their return here from a fruitless errand through near-by woods.

On their way to investigate a rumor of extensive moonshining enterprises in the Numberville district local prohibition agents and deputy sheriffs stopped by a weathered and clap-boarded farmhouse, nestled in a sheltered cove of the foothills, and asked for a drink of water as an excuse for lingering.

They thought nothing of this, they said, until they heard the jangling of a telephone bell. This

was followed a few seconds later by a shot from a near-by hill; soon another shot rang out through the mountain stillness.

Connecting the telephone ring and the two shots together, officers said they hurriedly went in search of the girl, but to their dismay she had escaped into the woods.

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ENGLAND FACES 'SUB-MEN' RACE, DEAN PREDICTS

Feeble-Minded Permitted to
Multiply, Says Cleric;
Upper Class 'Sterile.'

By DAVID M. CHURCH,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—England is in danger of "sub-men," Dean Inge, sometimes called the "Gloomy Dean of St. Paul's," has sounded this solemn note of warning.

"We are breeding from the bottom and dying off at the top," warns the dean.

"The highest birth-rate of all is that of the feeble-minded, and the state does all in its power to increase the evil by throwing on the industrious the whole burden of maintaining in constantly increasing numbers these wasteful products of the social machine whose disappearance would simply augment the prosperity of the country. The peril is a new one."

"The degenerate effects of our present social and political order have not yet had time to manifest themselves fully, but there can be no doubt that the consequences will be, if they are not checked, the rapid decay of the nation in physique, intellect and character."

In each generation, according to the dean, the cream of all classes is skimmed off, raised to a better social position and there civilized. It is a foreboding symptom that doctors, ministers of religion and the teaching profession have at present the lowest birthrate.

Sender Gets Letter Mailed 63 Years Ago

(By International News Service.)

TIRO, Ohio, Feb. 23.—Falling after 63 years, to reach its destination, a letter, written in 1861, has just been delivered to Mrs. Charles F. Luddy, local resident and widow of the writer of the letter. While encamped at Petersburg, Va., as a member of a New York regiment during the Civil War, Charles F. Luddy wrote the letter and addressed it to his mother, then residing in Switzerland. The letter was sent to Luddy's widow by officials of the dead letter office at Washington, D. C.

Father's Step on Ice Causes Sons' Death

ST. CHARLES, Ill., Feb. 23.—Fearing the river ice on which his two young sons were skating was too thin for safety, Henry L. Parsons set out to warn them. His weight on the ice as he stepped from the river bank precipitated the very tragedy he was trying to avert. The ice cracked and in a few seconds gave way from shore to shore. Both boys were thrown into the icy water and drowned.

APPLE TRAGEDY

ELGIN, Ill.—John Morris was fatally hurt in a row with Henry Tewson growing out of a theft of apples by one of Tewson's children.

Only one woman, the wife of a superintendent, lives on Midway Island in the Pacific.

Atletic and Musician

By ROY HARRISON DANFORTH.

Maria Ivogun, Hungarian coloratura soprano, will give her only recital in the Eastbay region at the Oakland Auditorium on Thursday evening, February 25, under the management of the Elwyn Concert Bureau.

One of the outstanding successes of recent years is that achieved by Mme. Ivogun, who made her American debut only two seasons ago. The critics found in her art a unique grace, a refreshing charm in her singing, a most unusual, magnetic personality. She is a blonde Hungarian of the type made famous by Jeritza. Last season Mme. Ivogun returned to America for her second tour of the country, which was expanded because of her previous successes, and became even more endeared to music lovers. Besides recital and orchestral appearances, New Yorkers were privileged to hear Mme. Ivogun in several performances of "The Merry Wives of Windsor," in which she assumed the role of Fray Plutch, with the Wagnerian Festival Singers. Her later appearance with the Chicago Grand Opera Company was a phenomenal success.

Following Mme. Ivogun's recital, the Elwyn Concert Bureau will order Keanard, Werrenrath, the celebrated American baritone, at the Oakland Auditorium on Monday evening, March 24. Werrenrath has been called by critics "an American institution and a great one."

SOPRANO SOLOIST AT GRAND CONCERT

Maria Ivogun, soprano, will be the soloist at the Durant band concert in the Oakland Auditorium this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Waldman, a pupil of Arthur J. Hubbard of Boston. She studied for several years in Boston and New York and later engaged in teaching and public school work in New York state. She came west a year ago on a concert tour and has been studying here with Marie Alveta Morse.

The program follows:
Pantefila from "Maritana" Wallace (a) Intermzzo, "In Popeland" (b) "Moorish Serenade" from "The Impressions at the Movies" Sousa Solo for cornet, "Sweet Sixteen" (waltz) Mr. Rosbrook. Aronson
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NEW CHORAL CLUB TO MAKE APPEARANCE

The David Bismph Choral Club of mixed voices, formed in Fruitvale a few months ago, in response to numerous requests, will give an informal open meet. free to the public, on Tuesday evening, February 26, at 8 o'clock.

The auditorium of the new Christian church, corner of Fruitvale avenue and East Seventeenth street, has been tendered to the club for this occasion.

An enjoyable program will be offered of numbers by the club, solo groups by two of the members, Mrs. Fred Kaiser, contralto, and Harry H. Lawrence, baritone, and violin solos by Prof. K. Dering, a graduate of the Conservatory of Amsterdam, Holland.

The club has its director, Milton L. Lawrence, a leader of

Three Feminine Artists

JOSEPHINE LUCCHESI (top left), soloist with California Music League orchestra; MARIA IVOGUN (top right), solo artist at the Auditorium Thursday night; POVLA FRISCH, who will open matinee season at Hotel Oakland.



long experience and an exponent of the William Tomlin's method of choral development.

Miss Isabelle Diserens is accompanist to the club.

FOUR OPERAS IN CHICAGO SCHEDULE

With the brief engagement of the Chicago Civic Opera Company, a little more than two weeks off, interest in this approaching event of the music season has taken a fresh hold on San Francisco, according to Sells L. Oppenheimer, under whose management the company is coming.

This interest found its expression in the ticket sale, which opened this week at Sherman, Clay Co. in two of the operas will be featured Fedora Chahin, the famous Russian bass, whose triumphs in the East during the present tour of the company have taken music centers by storm. These two operas are Boito's "Mefistofele" and Moussorgsky's "Boris Godunoff." In the other two operas the adorable Mary Garden will be starred in "Cleopatra," the artistry of this production being one of the outstanding features of the Chicago's present season, and Rosa Raisa, long-time favorite of San Francisco opera goers, will have the leading role of "La Juive" (The Jewess).

There will also be the ballet, headed by the beautiful Isabella, premier danseuse of the Chicago Opera Company. Here interpretive dances will add much to the beauty and gracefulness with which the Chicago's season here will be remembered.

And swinging the baton over the four productions will be San Francisco's old-time favorite, Giorgio Polacco and Panizza. Polacco opens with "Mefistofele" and Panizza alternates on successive performances with Panizza.

LOCAL TALENT TO ENTERTAIN SALON

Zannetta W. Potter is asked to co-operate in the making of a salubrious program for the meetings of the American College Salon to be held monthly in the rose room of the Hotel Oakland. For the initial meeting on Wednesday afternoon, March 27, Miss Potter has secured the services of Madame Irene Le Noir, contralto; Nadine Shepard, accompanist, and the ensemble of Robert Ross, contralto, with Elbert Cowan at the piano.

Follows the complete musical offering:
Vocal solo, "None But the Weary" Robert Bourke.
Elbert Cowan at the piano.
Contralto solo, "O Mio Fernando" from "La Favorita" Donizetti.
Miss Nadine Shepard at the piano.
Vocal solo, "Melody" Robert Bourke.
Elbert Cowan at the piano.
Miss Potter is also asked to furnish the entire musical program for the annual rally of the Big Sisters Movement, to be held at Mills College, Wednesday afternoon, March 27, in Alumni hall. For this occasion Mrs. Josephine Swan White will render a group of cantatas to her own accompaniment, and will contribute two groups, interspersed with the addresses of Dr. Alice Luce and Rubin Coffey. The personnel of the trio consists of Rae Mariani, violin; Josephine Vanderhoff, cello, and Doris Olsen, piano.

CHORAL SECTIONS AT WORK FOR FESTIVAL

With San Francisco's first Spring Music Festival just about to get off, the work of preparation and rehearsal is being pressed with all possible energy both in the Eastbay and San Francisco sections, according to those in charge. The process already made gives abundant assurance that the program of four big concerts during the week of March 25 will mark a new musical achievement that will command national attention.

The general sale of tickets for individual concerts is to start March 1 at Sherman, Clay & Co.'s in San Francisco. Alfred Heron, conductor, and J. W. Widenmeyer, manager, have been engaged during the past week arranging for the seating and arrangement of the four mixed choruses of 500 voices, which is to be one of the distinctive features of the festival to be given in the Exposition Auditorium.

The soloists are Claire Dux, soprano; Prima donna of the Chicago Civic Opera; Marie Alcock, contralto; Marie Chamlee, tenor; and Clarence Whitehall, baritone, and all artists of the Metropolitan Opera Company, granted special leave to take part in the festival.

The festival will open with the first symphony of Liszt, to be given March 25, with Chamlee singing the solo role and a vocal chorus of 250 voices. On March 27 the Gustav Mahler Second Symphony will be presented, with Claire Dux and Marie Alcock in the solo parts, the full mixed chorus of 500 voices and the Symphony Orchestra.

On the night of March 25 the entire program is to be devoted to the most difficult of Franz Liszt's festival, however, will be the presentation of Beethoven's Ninth Symphony.

Three concerts in series of MATINEES.
The Alice Seckels Matinee Musicales will open in Oakland shortly with no less a celebrity than Povla Frisch, Danish soprano. The San Francisco Chamber Music Society will be the second attraction. The third event will be the appearance of the Symphonie Ensemble under the direction of Alexander Saslavsky. This program will differ from the Chamber Music Society, as there will be solo groups, Alexander Saslavsky, violinist, and Max Gegan, noted Russian cellist. This organization has been meeting with unusual success at the concerts given in the links room of the Bohemian club on Fourth night and they will be welcomed here.

These concerts will be held in the ballroom of the Hotel Oakland at 2:45, on three Wednesday afternoons, namely, March 12, April 9 and 23.

Much can be written about Mme. Frisch, who will appear March 12, as she is one of the interesting personalities on the concert platform. Philip Hale, in the Boston Herald, says:

"Mme. Frisch is a remarkable singer of songs; in certain respects she is remarkable that we have heard for several years. Her great intelligence and imagination, good taste and true dramatic power are seldom to be found in one singer. A subtle and emotional disease, a rarely accomplished singer, may she come often."

This will be Mme. Frisch's only recital in the bay region.

PADEREWSKI MAN OF MANY TALENTS

Paderewski, the great Polish pianist, whose only concert in San Francisco, at the Auditorium on Friday night, February 29, will bring an outpouring of thousands and diversified talents. Many of his admirers, who are naturally one born with so many natural gifts of a high order, any one of which would have brought him greatness. As a musician, pianist, composer, linguist, statesman, orator, teacher, patriot, diplomat, even real estate and managerial discernment—choose which you will and follow it to the logical end, and he becomes apparent.

The program that Paderewski will play exemplifies the supremacy of his art. In the long list of work he has chosen to interpret in San Francisco every school of the classics is represented, from the

significance of old Bach to the technical difficulties of Franz Liszt, Mozart, Haydn, Beethoven, and Brahms contribute their choicest works to the Paderewski art. Chopin is represented by five compositions, and Paderewski for encores will include some of his own works.

LECCHESI TO SING WITH NEW ORCHESTRA

Josephine Lucchesi, The Texas Nightingale, will be the soloist at the first symphony orchestra concert of the California Music League, which will be given Tuesday evening at Harmon gymnasium in Berkeley, according to announcements made recently.

Miss Lucchesi, who was born in San Antonio, Tex., and received her musical education in this country, has returned to the concert stage after two years in grand opera with the San Carlo Opera Company.

BERKELEY CLUB PLAYS HOST FOR SINGER

A combined reception, recital and tea was given in honor of Miss Lucchesi at the Berkeley Club recently, by the Berkeley Piano Club, which at which Miss Frazee sang several numbers composed by local musicians.

"The First Commandment," by Beatrice Clifford of Berkeley, one of the numbers sung, is dedicated to Miss Frazee. Mrs. Paul Jarboe, who accompanied Miss Frazee, also composed two of the songs.

Other musical numbers were rendered by Miss Eva Lang, Mrs. Walton and Herman Ulrichs. Miss Virginia Graham, Miss Lola Jean Simpson and Richard Hodges Allen composed the committee in charge of the affair.

BARITONE WILL SING FOR BERKELEY SOCIETY

The Philharmonic Trio, composed of Orley See, violinist; Wencelaw Olipalando, cellist, and Lois Adler, pianist, appeared in the Berkeley Club recently, at which the Trio sang several numbers composed by local musicians.

TRIO HEARD IN STANFORD CONCERT

The Philharmonic Trio, composed of Orley See, violinist; Wencelaw Olipalando, cellist, and Lois Adler, pianist, appeared in the Stanford University Tuesday evening. The concert was under the auspices of the committee on public exercises.

Queer Musical Monster.

Jazz, Bows to Highbrows

By DEEMS TAYLOR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The audience at Aeolian hall was as unprecedented as the concert that collected it. There was the regular musical set, from Walter Dreusch and Ernest Bloch down to the critics, assembled out of curiosity to see what queer monster a serious program of jazz might be; and then there was another audience that had come over from the neighborhood community known as the Great White Way to see its beloved jazz make a debut among the highbrows. In the intermission, learned musicologists debated heatedly up and down the aisles, while upstairs two ladies came to blows over the question of whether or not it was good form to smoke at an afternoon concert.

The occasion was a concert by Paul Whiteman and his Palais Royal Orchestra. Mr. Whiteman, whose achievements in organizing and conducting contemporary dance orchestras have made him famous even in Europe, has theories regarding the so-called jazz band. He feels that the rhythms, melodies and instrumental titles of our modern popular music contain the germ of a school of genuine American composition and his concert yesterday was designed not only to exhibit jazz as it is today, but jazz as it was and may become.

In a hurried and necessarily brief chronicle such as this there is no chance to attempt detailed criticism or even to formulate conclusions. These must come later. Certainly the experiment was worth the trouble, and if noise be any criterion, yesterday's audience—all of it—had a good time.

Bruno Walter found a large and cordial audience awaiting him when he made his first appearance in Carnegie hall as guest conductor of the New York Symphony orchestra, and he largely justified the warmth of his welcome, for the Munich conductor brings to his work gifts and a personality that are strikingly defined.

Chief of these is his sure orchestral technique. There is no sense of the haphazard or fortuitous in anything he does. His readings are obviously the result of careful planning, and he keeps the orchestra under perfect control with a minimum expenditure of energy and with no superfluous gesture. He does not conduct for

the audience, making no attempt to interpret the music with his arms as well as his brain. But he does know what he wants and how to get it from the players.

The quiet passages went best, for Mr. Walter can coax a very beautiful pianissimo from his orchestra. His forte passages were less fortunate, for they sounded the brasses so vigorously that they detached themselves completely from the rest of the band and went sailing off into the ether with a sheer noise. If Mr. Walter would only write an average between last year's and this year's styles he ought to produce impressive results.

Interest in the Philharmonic centered rather more upon the soloist of the day than upon the orchestra, for Jacques Thibaud was in the clouds of the least familiar works upon the program.

Mr. Thibaud's two numbers were widely contrasted, both in age and style. He played first Beethoven's "Violin Concerto," accompanied by the strings and organ, and appeared after the intermission in Chausson's "Poeme," for violin and orchestra, and was superbly equal to both. Like Fritz Kreisler, Mr. Thibaud approaches the effortless perfection of style and technique that transforms the virtuoso into an instrument. During the playing of the concerto one nearly equal to both. Like Fritz Kreisler, Mr. Thibaud approaches the effortless perfection of style and technique that transforms the virtuoso into an instrument.

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Farm Poverty Laid To British Methods

(By International News Service.)

LONDON, Feb. 23.—An antiquated method of production and distribution are keeping British farmers poor, according to the report of a government committee to study farm conditions. Co-operative marketing was urged in the report as the remedy for the farmers' complaint that the prices they received and the price the consumers paid were too divergent. Standardization of products also was advocated in the report.

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ing to Colonel Lamb, does not co-operate in the efforts to stamp out the traffic, because Colombia, since Panama asserted its independence from Colombia, has no relations with Panama and does not recognize the Republic of Panama.

Just before the joint army and navy maneuvers late in January in the vicinity of the canal between 50 and 75 vendors of dope were arrested. Colonel Lamb admitted that despite these arrests there are about 200 others in some way or another identified with the dope industry.

CRIME CUT DOWN

Crime generally has been greatly cut down, according to Colonel Lamb, who has been in charge of the Panama police for the last six years and who is recognized as a fearless and efficient official. Colonel Lamb has been, in a sense, a soldier of fortune. It was he who organized the police force of Panama. It was a nondescript, inefficient outfit, numerically weak, when he took it in hand. He also organized the police force of Guatemala years ago, under the dictator, Manuel Estrada Cabrera. Colonel Lamb said that, although the population of Panama is comprised of people of almost all nationalities and temperaments, the number of grave crimes is comparatively small. Murders, he said, are uncommon; robberies are few, and affrays over women are not numerous as strangers might surmise. Most of the arrests are due to intoxication. The saloons of Colon and Panama are wide open, and liquor of all kinds can be purchased at a price that enables the inhabitants to drink more or less freely.

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PANAMA POLICE ROUT DOPE AND REDUCE CRIMES

Traffic That Once Menaced
Americans and Soldiers
About Stamped Out.

PANAMA CANAL ZONE, Feb. 23.—The dope vendors of Panama and the canal zone are whipped.

This statement was made to International News Service by Colonel Albert R. Lamb, inspector general of police of the Republic of Panama, in an interview in which he pointed out that the once serious "dope" traffic in the canal zone is slowly but surely being stamped out. Colonel Lamb is in charge of the 655 police officers in the Republic, 160 of whom are mounted.

The Panama police are an attractive lot. They are little looking, light brown in complexion and wear snappy khaki uniforms. Most of them appeared to be between 25 and 30 years old.

"We have been hearing down hard on the vendors of dope," said Colonel Lamb. "The number of American soldiers and sailors in the Canal Zone who have been able to get dope in the last year has been greatly reduced."

TIMES CHANGED

"This situation is quite a contrast to the time—not far back—when there was much traffic in dope among the sailors and soldiers."

"There has been just as much progress in cleaning up this traffic as the medical authorities have made in making the formerly insanitary Canal Zone sanitary."

"We got through a law which makes the minimum sentence for any person caught selling dope one year in jail and one year's banishment from the provinces in which they live. The Republic of Panama is divided into provinces."

"The most of the dope is sold in the principal cities in the Republic—Panama and Colon—Panama on the Pacific side of the canal, Colon on the Atlantic. It is these two places that the soldiers and sailors come for their 'good times.'"

"The work of reducing this traffic has been greatly assisted by the American Zone police, who work in the Canal Zone in cooperation with the police of the Republic."

Chinese, of whom there are many, sell most of the opium, while the great bulk of cocaine comes from Colombia, Nicaragua and Costa Rica, Colombia, according to the police of the Republic.

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BODY CAN READILY UNDERSTAND.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 23.—With-
out any heralding or sounding of trump-
ets Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Spreckels are
completing a beautiful palace—Palace
of the Legion of Honor—to be filled
with works of art and memorial exhibits and
presented to the city. It is located in Lincoln
Park and will involve an outlay approximating
\$2,000,000. It is the plan to dedicate it on the
eleventh of November, which will be the sixth
anniversary of the end of the world war. Illus-
trations of the building show it to be the most
ornate in architecture of all San Francisco's
public edifices. A model was exhibited at the
Fairmont Hotel Monday evening on the occa-
sion of a fete arranged by the San Francisco
Chapter of the American League of Penwomen
in honor of Mrs. Spreckels. Felicitations of
the army, navy, Legion of Honor and city of
San Francisco were expressed respectively by
General Morton, Admiral Simpson, Colonel
Stanton and Mayor Rolph. There were other
speakers and the occasion was impressive. The
palace includes nineteen galleries for the exhibi-
tion of art objects and historical relics, a tea
room and a theater that will accommodate five
hundred. It is destined to be a very notable
attraction and rallying point for Legionaires
and patriotic citizens generally.

Miss Flood's Gift

The accounts that describe a notable gift to
the State University give the donor's name as
"Miss Cornelia Flood," but in other and more
intimate times she was Miss Jennie Flood.
The gift is the old-time family residence of the
Floods, erected in those opulent times—espe-
cially opulent for bonanza magnates—when
about the first thing that one did after "strick-
ing it" in the mines or the stock market was
to build a palatial mansion. The late James
C. Flood, who as one of the bonanza quartette
struck it richer than others, caused to be
erected a very magnificent residence for its day,
which, however, has stood vacant for a long
time. Its location is on Broadway, between
Buchanan and Webster streets, occupying a
fifty-acre lot, which older Californians will
know is 137½ feet square. It is given to the
university without conditions other than that
the property shall not be sold to parties who
might devote it to purposes that would be of-
fensive to dwellers in the vicinity. As the
estimated value of the gift is a quarter of a
million, there shouldn't be so much danger of
that.

School Sites

At least two millions are to be expended for
school sites, and in response to the invitation
for proposals, real estate owners and agents
have swarmed up. And after they have
swarmed school patrons and teachers and prin-
cipals in protest against some of the bargains
that have offered. Also plain citizens, who
have objections various. It would seem that
there are many offerings in locations or en-
vironments that call forth vigorous objection.
The urge of property holders with real estate
that they are anxious to dispose of at con-
demnation prices swells the tumult, and also
the machinations of "speculators" who obtained
options on likely or possible sites early in the
rush. Altogether it will not be surprising if
the Board of Education experiences some be-
wildering before the sites for the new school
houses are all settled upon. They are holding
a series of hearings, at which those pro and
those con may utter their predilections, and
probably will be glad to emerge from the ordeal
by pleasing the majority. Anything like uni-
versal satisfaction is hardly in the question.

The Board in Controversy

But this controversy over sites is only a
part of it. Fetching San Francisco up to date
in school housing is a matter of magnitude.
Twelve millions in bonds have been voted for
the purpose. Some ten millions will be de-
voted to the building of school houses after
the sites have been settled upon. The handling
of this immense sum is not at all disdained
in officialdom, and there has resulted a con-
troversy between the Board of Supervisors, the
Board of Education and the Board of Works.
The detail of financing must be managed by the
Board of Supervisors, the Board of Education
naturally should determine the character of the
structures, and the duty of construction lies
with the Board of Works. There has been a
seeming disposition on the part of the other
boards to ignore the Board of Supervisors,
whose members have objected to the letting of
contracts until they examine and pass upon the
proceedings. The City Attorney's opinion was
solicited, and is to the effect that the Board of
Supervisors in this matter is akin to the
flowers that bloom in the spring—after seeing
that funds are provided that body has nothing
to do with the case. Which, as the Board of
Supervisors is the general authoritative body,
being elective while the others are appointive,
makes rather a strange situation.

Marbleizing the Ferry Floors

Several months ago my attention was called
by the engineer of the Harbor Board to the
proposition then under consideration to cover

the concrete floors of the harbor depot waiting
rooms with marble tiles, but subsequent inves-
tigation led me to conclude that it wouldn't
be done right off, as just then Governor Rich-
ardson was encountering much criticism on
account of his retrenchment policies, and it
was not thought he would invite more by an
outlay of some thirty thousand dollars on an
improvement that was not in the strict line of
utility. But now the marble is being laid, and
the visitor who first sets foot in San Francisco
via the ferry is expected to be doubly im-
pressed. Incidentally the thousands of com-
muters who traverse the waiting rooms every
day, and who vastly outnumber the visitors,
will appreciate the change from the drab and
depressing footage to one more cheerful and
enlivening.

E. L. Doheny Emphasized

The oil imbroglio has turned a spotlight on
E. L. Doheny, though he was not unknown be-
fore. He was generally and casually under-
stood to be a multi-millionaire, but his person-
ality was taken account of as through a screen.
He is in the Rockefeller and Ford class, though
not having got there by retail, as the former
did, nor having done such things as to char-
ter a ship to carry an assorted cargo of cranks
across the Atlantic to restore peace to a con-
tinent hell bent on war. Although he does things
with ships. He owns one very personal, name
of Casina, 287 feet long, thirty-eight in the
crew, said to be the most sumptuous private
yacht afloat. He placed it at the disposal of
a Los Angeles official for a voyage to Honolulu,
with instructions to the purser not to permit
anybody aboard to pay a cent of the expense
of the cruise. And in that connection he is
reported to have gained a point which had to
do with wharfage in a port whence his oil
carriers ply. In politics he has figured promi-
nently and liberally on the Democratic side.
The party hails him as it is always wont to
hail the man with the sack. And he doesn't
disappoint. His largest four years ago to
the party fund was \$10,000 and he was active
at the national convention in this city. He
was talked of in connection with the vice-
presidential nomination, and there is a con-
siderable belief that he could have had that
honor if he had striven for it.

A Southern Californian

Doheny has been a resident of Southern
California some twenty five years. He and his
partner, Canfield, blew in from the Arizona
country as prospectors. They had ranged the
mountains and deserts for precious metals. The
story is given a touch of romance by the state-
ment that they arrived with a fund of ten
cents between them. Doheny was then forty
years of age. It seems to be a fact that they
were innocent of experience in oil. It appears
from the accounts to have been somewhat in
the nature of a fluke that they got into it;
but it may not be a wild guess that it was due
to an alertness that recognized opportunity.
The ensuing success certainly marks Doheny as
one of the extraordinary men of the time. Per-
sonally he is popular. Men like to meet him
as man to man. He knows what he wants, and
is willing to stand the brunt of acquiring it.
Which isn't intended to mean that he is a
rank bribe giver, but that he doesn't ask people
to do things for nothing. There is no question
that Doheny is an unusual personage.

Gavin Underestimated

A Washington correspondent makes this
statement: "Two lawyers—Gavin McNab of
San Francisco and Frank Hogan of Washing-
ton—who have nothing but local reputations,
will leap into national prominence when the
oil lease case reaches the courts." Attorneys
and Democrats and others here, while they do
not assume a brief for Mr. Hogan, are quite
free to express themselves as to Gavin. They
think he has been slightly referred to. They
recall how he has figured and does figure in
Democratic politics on the Pacific Coast, and
feel sure that he must have been taken account
of elsewhere. He has figured among the presi-
dential makers. California went Democratic in
1920, and Gavin had a large hand in it. He is
the outstanding figure of the California
Democracy—or was until Doheny spilled the
beans by that historic testimony. And it is
not at all impossible that he will figure again.
The Chicago conference has declared that Mr.
McAdoo is unsundered, and by the same token
Gavin is entitled to clearance papers. They
were both in employment under Doheny, and
McAdoo was rather more an employee of the
magnate than Gavin—at least he seems to have
gotten a larger salary.

A San Franciscan Reminisces

LONDON, Jan. 16.—THE KNAVE: A little
while ago, on a visit to some friends at Man-
chester, Lancashire, I saw a monument that
had been erected to the memory of Barry Sul-
livan, and a like monument to the same actor
in one of the public squares of Liverpool I saw
some days after. My thoughts turned to my
boyhood days in San Francisco and an eventful
night when I attended the opening of the Bald-
win Theater. It was in the year 1876, I think.
The lessee was the pioneer manager, Tom Ma-

guire. The opening piece was "Richard III,"
with Barry Sullivan as Richard. Times were
hard in the city then. It was soon after the
failure of the Bank of California. Many high-
class stock actors were without employment,
notably James O'Neill, James A. Hearne, M.
A. Kennedy, and women of equal talent. Sul-
livan was returning to England from a very
successful tour of Australia, and a supporting
company including the above actors was made
up. Barry Sullivan specialized in Richard III,
and his conception of the character was a very
cruel and murderous Richard. He followed
the lines of Junius Brutus Booth. Apropos, in
England at the present moment there is a
movement stigmatized by some literary folk and
historians as "The Whitewashing of King Rich-
ard III." Attention has been called to what
Sir Clements Markham and other historians had
done to clear the reputation of that monarch.
It is protested that it is unfair to the King's
memory to continue to charge him with "dark
villainies that have never been proved against
him." W. J. G.

Some Ancient History

From Imola, California, under date of Febru-
ary 17, this communication has been received.
It is of greater length than that which pre-
vails in articles on this page, but is so inter-
esting that it is set in small type and produced
in its entirety:

I read the Oakland Tribune every day, and your
pages are each day as interesting to me as
anything I see in any of the newspapers of the Bay
district. Most of your reminiscences bring up old
memories and are in accordance with my recollec-
tions. But in the issue of February 10 I am pos-
itive you are in error in an article on the death of
State Senator Timothy McCarthy. You state that
he was killed by one Pierce, a political enemy of lesser
importance, in 1859. As I called on him at his resi-
dence about 1897 and found him confined to his
room with rheumatic gout I knew your data was
wrong. He lived then on the west side of Taylor
street, about the middle of the block between Union
and Green streets. I returned to my home in Sacra-
mento and I think it was in 1898 that I heard of his
death. I never heard of this Pierce, and feel sure
the death of McCarthy was a natural cause. I looked up my State
Book and found that Tim served three terms in
the State Senate and died in 1899, the year Henry
T. Gage took his seat as Governor. So there is a
"screw loose" somewhere. There never was another
State Senator of the name of McCarthy.

My father was a member of the Society of Cal-
ifornia Pioneers, arriving in San Francisco in July,
1849, on the good ship Tarantula, and J. C. Flood
and William Smith O'Brien were companions of his.
My father married and I was the first arrival, so I
am way over 70, and a Native Son and almost a
Pioneer.

My father was a total abstainer, but often took
me to spots where he knew the owners and we
indulged in Queen Charlottes, lemonade, ginger ale,
etc. I first saw Tim McCarthy in the early '60s in
his saloon in Maguire's Opera House on Washington
street above Montgomery. The place was called
"the Snug," and Christopher A. Buckley was his
bar-tender. We also went to George Parker's "Bank
Exchange," southern corner Washington and Mont-
gomery, and also to the place kept by Flood &
O'Brien, on Washington, south side, above Sansome
street. So I knew all these old times.

I liked Tim McCarthy best of all, as he was very
nice to me. Later on, about '73 or '74, Tim opened
a saloon with Kennedy, a fellow northerner of Sutter,
running through to Hardie Place. I then met
my acquaintance with the Senator and was treated
almost as a son by him. He safeguarded me from
many pitfalls.

Previous to opening this saloon Oscar Lewis and
Howard Porter had run the Luck House bar and bil-
liard rooms with Jimmy Farquharson in charge of
the billiard, the latter being a Scotchman and
Tim too in Oscar Lewis as a partner, but soon got
rid of him owing to trouble with the son, Harry
Lewis.

Tim lived on the south side of Pacific street, a few
doors west of Powell, where he entertained lavishly.
He was a widower and had a son in Santa Clara
College and a daughter at Notre Dame. I then met
a man, younger than I, named David J. Tobin, resi-
dence 2415 Twenty-first avenue, Parkside, who prob-
ably knows more of the Senator than I do. This
Tobin was always called "Tohey," and he served the
refreshments in the back rooms at Tim's Sutter-
street place. His phone is Sunset 5533. I hope you
will get more reliable data and correct your article.
While writing, will suggest some themes for remin-
iscent articles.

The exploits and cowardly death of Harry Love,
the Texas Ranger and reputed killer of the bandit
Joaquin Murietta. The blowing up of Blossom Rock
by Col. Von Schmidt. The first passage of a train
from San Francisco to San Jose, banquet at Aus-
tine House and list of notables present. (By the
way, I was but a boy but was there). The great
horse race of Norfolk and Lodi. Opening of Tom
Maguire's Academy of Music with a season of grand
Italian opera—Pine street, north side, below Mont-
gomery. First production of the Black Crook at
Maguire's Opera House with Kralffy's grand battle-
lades screaming and fainting all over the dress
circle at sight of such nakedness. Riot in San
Francisco and wrecking of Copperhead newspapers
on receipt of news of Lincoln's assassination; mob
led by one Butler, a lithographer.

FRANK COOKE.

Bishop Nichols as an Author

Bishop William Ford Nichols has written,
ostensibly for his children and grandchildren, a
volume entitled "Days of My Age, or Chimney
Corner Chats for the Home Circle." As a
record of religious and civic events of this com-
munity and Northern California it is vitally
interesting, and as a picture of the family life
of a noted prelate it is especially illuminating.
The book was privately printed and its issue
confined to five hundred copies. The Bishop's
last previous volume, "World Circuit Saunter-
ings," published about ten years ago, attracted
much attention. In his latest volume there is
the same graphic touch, the same delightful
diction, the same original style so pleasing in
his other book. The Bishop has fourteen grand-
children, as he says, scattered from Shanghai,
where his son, the Rev. John Nichols, D. D.,
resides, to Boston, where his daughter, Mrs.
Ferdinand Mills, lives.

Recollections of an Honored Life

Respecting the wishes of the author THE
KNAVE is restrained from quoting from its
pages. They give a particularly poignant de-
scription of events following the earthquake
and fire of 1906, and a close picture of the
famous Lambeth conference of 1897 in Lon-
don, with some delightful touches of the meth-

ods and humor of the Archbishop of Canter-
bury, Dr. Temple, who presided. Bishop
Nichols expresses great happiness over the cor-
dial relations he has been able to maintain
with leaders of the Roman Catholic, Protestant
and Jewish churches. His book contains a
wealth of entertaining anecdote and is a record
of able achievement. When Bishop Nichols
first came here his See extended from the So-
noma Solano line to the Mexican border, but
in 1895 the diocese of Los Angeles was carved
out of it, and more than a decade ago, the
missionary district of San Joaquin was set
apart thus adding two bishops to carry on the
work. Five years ago Bishop-coadjutor Ed-
ward L. Parsons was consecrated, having pre-
viously been rector of St. Mark's, Berkeley.

Archy Butt's Letters

The letters of Archy Butt, now appearing,
have a wide range and often contain allusions
of local interest. He was President Roosevelt's
military aide during his occupation of the
White House, and relates his experiences in
that capacity in a manner that suggests a later
day Peeps. He makes the inconsiderable thing
interesting. Under date of November 28, 1908,
in the last days of the Roosevelt regime, there
is this passage concerning a well known Cali-
fornian: "When I went into the cabinet room
this morning I found them removing the chair
of the Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Metcalf, re-
cently resigned on account of ill health. Fol-
lowing a custom he asked permission to pur-
chase the chair assigned him at the cabinet
table, and he will replace it with another of
the same uniform pattern. I never knew until
this morning—and I must have been in the
cabinet room several hundred times—that at
the back of each chair is a brass plate bearing
the official rank of each member." Archy Butt
was a great favorite with both Mr. and Mrs.
Roosevelt. He went down on the Titanic.

Dr. Abrams' Estate

What seems probable is that there will be
a contest over the will of the late Dr. Albert
Abrams. It will of course be remembered that
Dr. Abrams was the medico who claimed to
have discovered a new science, which he desig-
nated Electronic Medicine, and to have estab-
lished a school for the inculcation of his theo-
ries, to which he bequeathed two-thirds of his
estate of \$2,500,000. Though he died unmar-
ried he had a large number of relatives, and
in the preliminaries of probating his will the
intimation has evolved that some of these re-
latives are likely to enter a contest. Dr. Abrams
was very much set on what he maintained
were vastly important discoveries. He had
been thoroughly educated in the orthodox
school, and stood high in medical attainments,
and it was a bitter disappointment when the
regular school failed to accept his theories.
That disappointment and the assiduity with
which he pursued the studies incidental to his
theories are believed to have affected his health,
and possibly to have shortened his life. It will
be a notable case if it comes to contest, not only
on account of the great estate involved, but in
its bearing on the medical profession.

Baseball History

Mike Fisher is writing some interesting base-
ball history. He recalls names and republishes
pictures of those who figured on the diamond
before the middle aged fan of today began that
characteristic pastime of advising the hanging
of the umpire, or at least while he was scrap-
ping in a kid nine on back lot areas. But some
of those more tenacious of memory may amplify
his narrative, if not correct it. For instance,
the league as it played on the Alameda grounds
in 1886 was composed of the Haverlys, the Pio-
neers, the Stars and a Stockton club. With
the Stars were some roughnecks who had it
in for members of the other clubs, and one
Sunday showed up with the purpose of rough-
housing the game. The managers of the other
clubs got wind of it, cautioned their players,
and the game went through to a conclusion
without trouble. But the Stars were expelled
from the league and the Greenwood & Morans
taken on in their place. That brought into
notice the greatest phenom of the time—
George Van Haltren. He was a left-hander,
who was insoluble to the man at the plate. He
mowed 'em down. He achieved a feat that I
do not remember of hearing paralleled—retir-
ing a side on nine consecutive pitched balls.
His fame traveled across the continent and
the Chicagoans grabbed him off.

Letter From Van Haltren

Some years ago I got into a dispute as to
Van's achievements and the year in which he
emerged as a world beater, and wrote him about
it to settle the controversy. I received this
letter in reply: "Dear sir: Replying to your
letter of June 29, will say that in the year
1887, not 1886, I pitched in the coast league.
I joined Chicago in June, 1887, and played
continuously East thereafter up to and through
the year 1903. William Gurnett was the sec-
ond baseman of the Greenwood & Morans of
the dates mentioned above. Yes, I retired the
side on nine consecutive pitched balls at Ala-
meda in 1886. Gene Van Court was the um-

pire." The account of Van's first game in Chi-
cago is recalled in this connection. It was
headed, in very black letters, "Van Pitched."
He did not long remain in the box after going
East, but was so much of a ball player that he
was retained in the big league sixteen years,
most of that time as an active outfielder with
the New Yorks.

Publicity and Advertising

The Volstead Act is not likely to be regarded
with respect, at least not yet a while. It is
the butt of many a flash of wit by after-dinner
speakers, rivaling the Ford jokes in vogue a
few years ago. The members of the Ad Club
were treated to a bit of discourse along this
line last week, during a particularly interest-
ing address by Walter V. Woelke, local maga-
zine editor, who held forth on the subject of
publicity and advertising. He said publicity
is describing all about a thing, while adver-
tising is telling where to get it. By way of
illustration he declared that it would be pub-
licity to print the fact that there is a big de-
mand for Haig and Haig and Johnny Walker.
Then he added: "But if you insert a notice
reading, 'If you want to meet General Haig
ring up Garfield black, and he will call on
you with a truck,' that's advertising."

"Silver Threads," Etc.

A news account that places "Dick" Jose's
vogue with "Silver Threads Among the Gold"
in the seventies is considerably "off." It is
at least some twenty years early. And he
did not introduce it. The song had enjoyed
popularity, long before, and had been
"sung out." But it is a fact that Jose revived
it and made it popular again. He has a "ballad
voice," just suited to such compositions. Hear-
ing him at a concert a friend fell to wonder-
ing why big ponderous men so often develop tenor
voices, while noted basso profundos so gener-
ally show up of small stature. Jose, at least
when he was appearing in concert, was a heavy-
weight, and that such a fine high tone was
emitted from such a very considerable corpo-
rosity had an unusual and not displeasing ef-
fect. All of which is preliminary to stating
that Jose has reappeared on the scene through
politics. He has been appointed to have charge
of the San Francisco office of the State Real
Estate Department. He is not new to the de-
partment, however, having been chief field
deputy before.

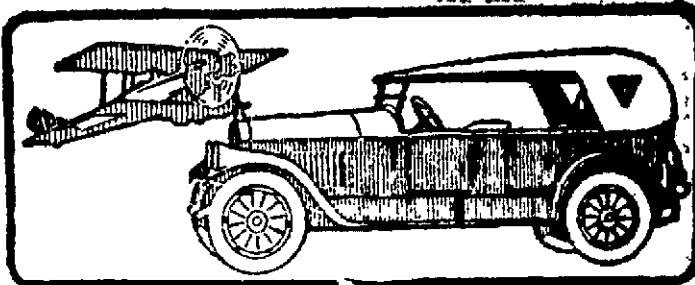
Theater Employees

Despite the fact that the troubles between
managers and stage hands have been amicably
adjusted, the Curran theater continues to do
without an orchestra, thereby saving the man-
agement an expense approximating \$2,000
monthly. Homer Curran delivered his ulti-
matum when members of the theater craft de-
manded a raise in pay almost immediately after
an increase had been granted the musicians.
The latter declared that if there was any trou-
ble with the stage hands they would go out in
sympathy and Curran gave them notice. This
is the second time in the history of the local
theater that nightly performances have been
given without musical accompaniment. Sev-
eral years ago the Columbia did without its
orchestra when notice was served upon it that
it would have to employ a certain number of
musicians. The layman may be unfamiliar
with the conditions of employment in the
amusement organizations. One of the man-
agers explained that it is the seating capacity
of the theater that determines how many mu-
sicians must be employed, and that all attrac-
tions must have a certain number of employees
behind the footlights, whether they are needed
or not. In this connection he stated that a
recent film screened here had no atmospheric
prologue or other stage accessory, but that
nevertheless under the rules of the organiza-
tions he was required to employ a stage carpen-
ter, electrician and property man.

Max J. Kuhl

Called in his prime—he was but forty-six—
the death of Max Kuhl removes one of the best
known attorneys and civic characters of San
Francisco. His practice was differentiated by
its relation to civic affairs, its having to do
with public questions and issues that come up
for discussion and adjustment. He took part
in various movements to purge the city of graft
and institute clean government. As a member
of the Board of Police Commissioners he was
persistent and finally successful in cleaning up
the Barbary Coast. He was the leading at-
torney for the Pacific-Panama Exposition Com-
mission, whose affairs called for very particu-
lar legal supervision up to the time they were
officially wound up, a period of ten years. The
Bar Association appointed him to handle the
proceedings incident to recalling Police Judges
Oppenheim and Sullivan, and in recent times
he served as legislative representative of the
San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, and was
the attorney of the Industrial Association of
San Francisco in the considerable struggle for
industrial peace. In his earlier years he was
a reporter on a city paper, which it is fair to
assume laid the ground work for his later suc-
cessful activities.

THE KNAVE.



By B. J. Rosenthal

Oakland citizens who were at the show report great interest and many hundreds of visitors from this side of the bay. The men who remained here during the week also did well.

As a matter of fact, automobile men are greatly encouraged because their sales have risen so well in the latter part of this month, which is usually no the case just before the year in the last two weeks of February many buyers refuse to take delivery of their new cars and put off until after the first Monday in March.

This year there have been many deliveries and greater demand for cars than ever before at this period of the month. Dealers were looking forward to a record-breaking March business.

The championship races in Los Angeles today bid fair to set new speed records for board tracks. Jimmy Murphy, who won the first race on Beverly Hills course four years ago, is out to win the last one on this present track. The bow will be torn down to make way for the growth of Los Angeles and will become town lots. It is planned to build another track, however, and to have it ready for the Thanksgiving Day races this year. It will be a thrilling speed car rival, that is cert.

The citizens' traffic committee which is reporting traffic violations, is helping the police department curb reckless driving. The people on this committee are doing good work.

The call of the open road will be heard early this year. There are more people on the roads right now than ever before. The continued fine weather has proved alluring. You can tell that by the number of cars on the roads every week-end.

Small Things Save Juice For Emergency

When using the self-starter at night, it saves the battery to switch on the lights. Throw out the clutch to save the starter the trouble of cranking over the transmission gears, and pull the choke out before touching the starter button, so as to make every movement of the starter's work count. The juice saved in the ordinary start may be a thousand times more valuable should the engine stall when the car is in a precarious position.

Running in Tracks Is Dangerous Habit

Keep off the car tracks. These rails may be smoother than the rough roads, but do not attempt to ride over them when it is raining or snowing. If a sudden stop is necessary, no brakes can stop the car, as the locked wheels will act like skates on ice. If caught on wet tracks, bury the car to a stop gradually by shutting off the power and applying the brakes slowly. Then go into first gear and work out slowly.

One Auto For 40C Persons in Germany

Germany has a population of 60,000,000, has 152,329 passenger automobiles and trucks, the former numbering 100,323. This is an average of one motor vehicle for each 400 of population. Germany's total of motor vehicles is only about one-tenth the number in New York state alone. Statistics show that each of 24 American states has more automobiles than the entire German republic.

Auto Race Winner Run On Alcohol

An automobile of Swedish make and driven by Swedish motor alcohol recently won a race in Stockholm against several American cars driven by gasoline imported from the United States. As a result the Liquor Control Board has recommended the repeal of all restrictions on the sale of motor alcohol.

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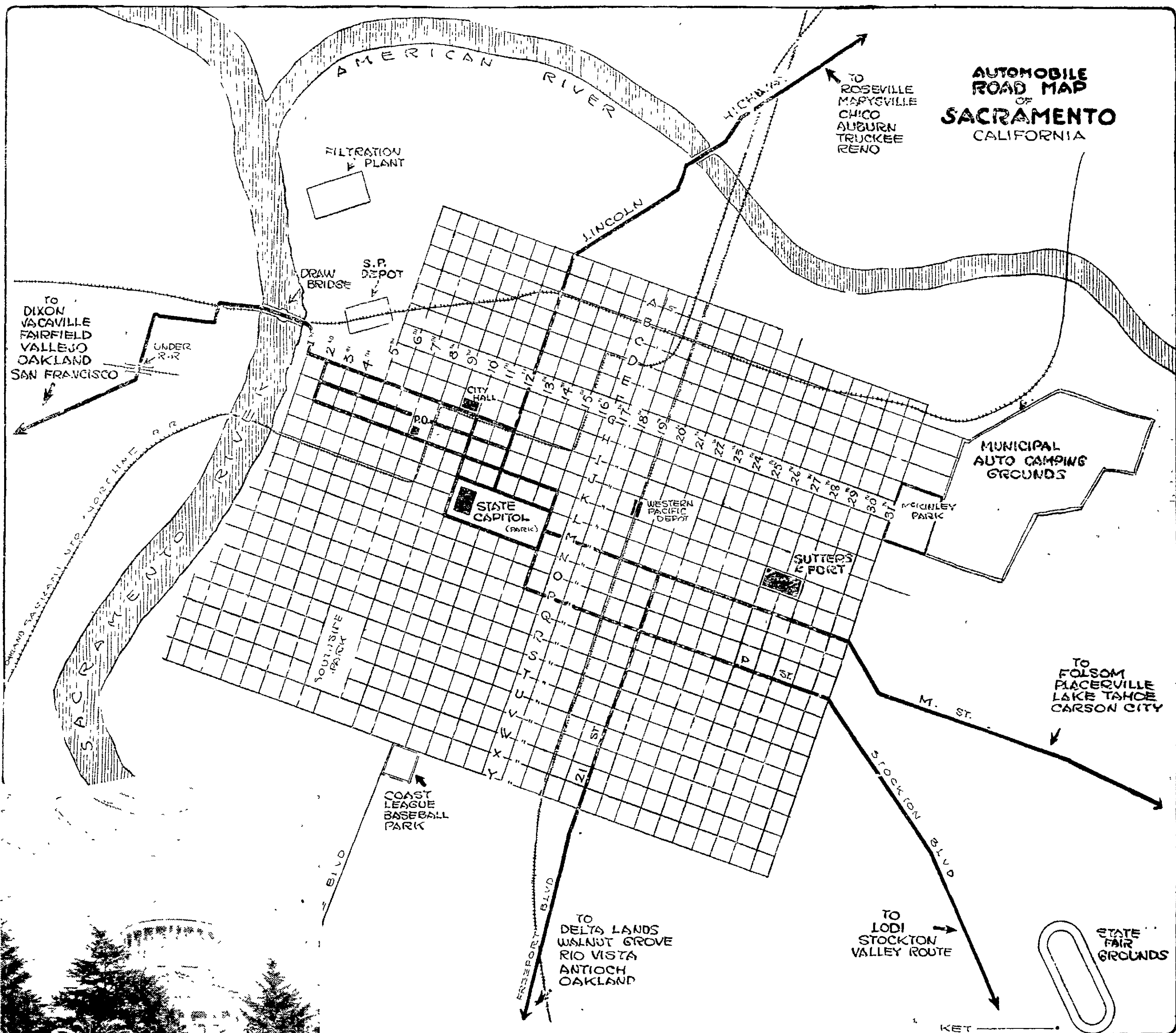
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This is the second of a series of city maps, showing the routes most easily followed by motorists in driving through. Sacramento is the hub of the roads into the Sierra and north. The card is a Ford from L. C. Finestine, dealer on College avenue.



CARS TAGGED NOT BEARING THE NEW REGISTRATIONS

Special to The TRIBUNE.
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 25.—In-
spectors of the California Division
of Marine Fisheries were today en-

The tag placed on the machine will be in the name of a 1924 and to the owner that 1924 license fees are now due and payable and that a car without new plates is being operated in violation of the motor vehicle act.

Marsh said that if no registration certificate was found in a car this would be interpreted as meaning that the owner had forwarded the

Wisconsin Issues
Weekly Road Map

The State Highway Department, in preparing a road map which is issued weekly for the benefit of automobile drivers and others who have occasion to make use of the highways. These maps, which show first-minute condition of roads, are placed at many farm-to-market service stations and municipal offices of the different cities.

STATE BECOMING MOTORING AREA FOR ENTIRE U. S.

Special to The TRIBUNE.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 25.—(AP)—A report that California is rapidly becoming the "motoring ground of the nation" was contained in a comparative estimates made public today by the California Division of Motor Vehicles showing the increase of 21.4 or 151 per cent in visitors to "tourist" automobiles entering California in 1925 over 1922. The estimates were based on the number of tourist permits issued by the division during the year.

Permits for 66,514 visiting cars were issued during the year, a 10.5 per cent increase over the 60,100 for 1951. Based on an average of 1.25 persons to a car, Will H. Marsh, chief of the division, stated that would make a grand total of nearly 200,000 people who visited the state last year.

Every state in the Union was represented and while registrations were heaviest from states contiguous to California, states from the north and west were prominent. Quoted by Florida Magazine 261 and Maine and Vermont were represented by 17 and 88 respectively. Washington was first with 88.6, Oregon second with 76.9, New York 61.4, and Utah 51.9 and Texas with 14.8.

A breakdown of visiting cars from foreign countries was reported Canada heading the list with 875. There were 175 from Mexico, 134 from Mexico and from Lower California and one each from Sweden and Guam. Even the frigid regions of Alaska

Owners Rush to Re-register Cars To Shun Penalty

WITH which one week before the start to secure 1921 renewals of motor vehicle licenses without paying 100 per cent penalty, the usual half-minute rush again in season according to George S. Grant, manager of the Touring Bureau of the California State Automobile Association. He yesterday issued a statement urging automobile owners to renew their 1921 license plates during the first three days of the week.

The renewal registration period officially closes next Saturday night, March 1, at midnight, after which time the 53 recalcitrant owners of 1920 cars will be assessed \$6 for delinquent registration, according to announcements of the Division of Motor Vehicle.

ROADS AND TRAILS IN YOSEMITE ARE NOW OPEN

[illegible]

No Substitute
Plates Will Be
Issued in 1924

SACRAMENTO Feb. 23.—Substitute plates in lieu of plates that have been lost will not be issued this year, according to a pronouncement by the Division of Motor Vehicles. A red card, instead, will be issued the owner and a pair of plates of the same number as those lost will be ordered. This ruling has been made because the certificate of ownership is often in the hands of less owner, some distance from the registered owner and the issuance of plates in lieu would entail no issue of certificates.

motor cycle and the tree from a few feet off motor travel. The trees are not encouraged, and it is hardly possible that the road will remain open as a spring race course to come which will make the road soft and impassable. Those, however, who do wish to make the attempt the following season are suggested as being in the vicinity of the B. & O. R. R. station to Buck Meadows, thence to the distant to Bowser Cave, thence to the Courtville Road. The road is taken directly into Loper's farm. It cannot be hoped that motor travel over any of the mountain roads into the park are maintained continually from season to season because of spring rains and the fact that the roads are not improved. It is a little doubtful but they are permanently opened much earlier than usual and that season of motor travel to the park is maintained correspondingly early.

AUTOISTS IGNORE VEHICLE LAW

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 23.—Violations of the motor vehicle laws are increasing at an alarming rate all over the state, Will H. Marsh, chief of the Division of Motor Vehicles, declared here today.

In the Sacramento-Fresno area, Marsh counted hundreds of violations, said Marsh. "These violations ranged from speeding at reckless, diving down to illegible number plates, to the most common, running with faulty headlights, plate attached irregularly, cars with one plate, some without plate, or a wrong-governing signals, drivers failing to give signals and driving in the wrong lane," he said. "The rules of the road. There seems to be a general laxness and a widespread disregard of the law. This, in my opinion, is due to the fact that the highways are without patrols and will only be remedied when the onerous legal complexities resulting from the non-payment of wages of traffic officers are removed."

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IS 1924 TO SET NEW HIGH RECORD IN AUTO INDUSTRY

January Output of Cars 39
Per Cent Higher Than
in January, 1923.

By F. ED. SPOONER.

Special Dispatch to The TRIBUNE.
DETROIT, Feb. 24.—It is possible that 1924 will again break all production records for the makers of automobiles and motor trucks. There are indications in the production figures for January and the pace of manufacture in February that this will be the case. Yet the makers feel that something may shake off the pace and are not too optimistic. They are not pessimistic naturally, for January showed a production close to 341,000, or 39 per cent more than in January of 1923. On that basis the production of the year would be over five and one-third millions and nearly to five and one-half million cars and trucks. Such a production was never dreamed of in the philosophy of even the most hardened optimist of the automotive industry.

It is 3,000,000 more than the number of cars and trucks scheduled to the Motor and Accessory Manufacturers' Association investigators when they toured the factories last fall and during the winter. Which only goes to show that few can solve the riddle of the day, the point of saturation and few can tell the possibilities of the market. It would seem to indicate that Charles M. Schwab was right when he said: "Ten, fifteen, twenty years from now you will all wonder how this great country of ours ever got along with only 4,000,000 cars per year." Everyone smiled at that statement at the time. At least most of those who heard Schwab smiled, but many looked thoughtful and glimpsed the future in that event. Many foresaw factories as large as that of Henry Ford today, but few thought to figure upon the future of the Ford factory groups in event 4,000,000 car production became small in comparison with production figures in the future.

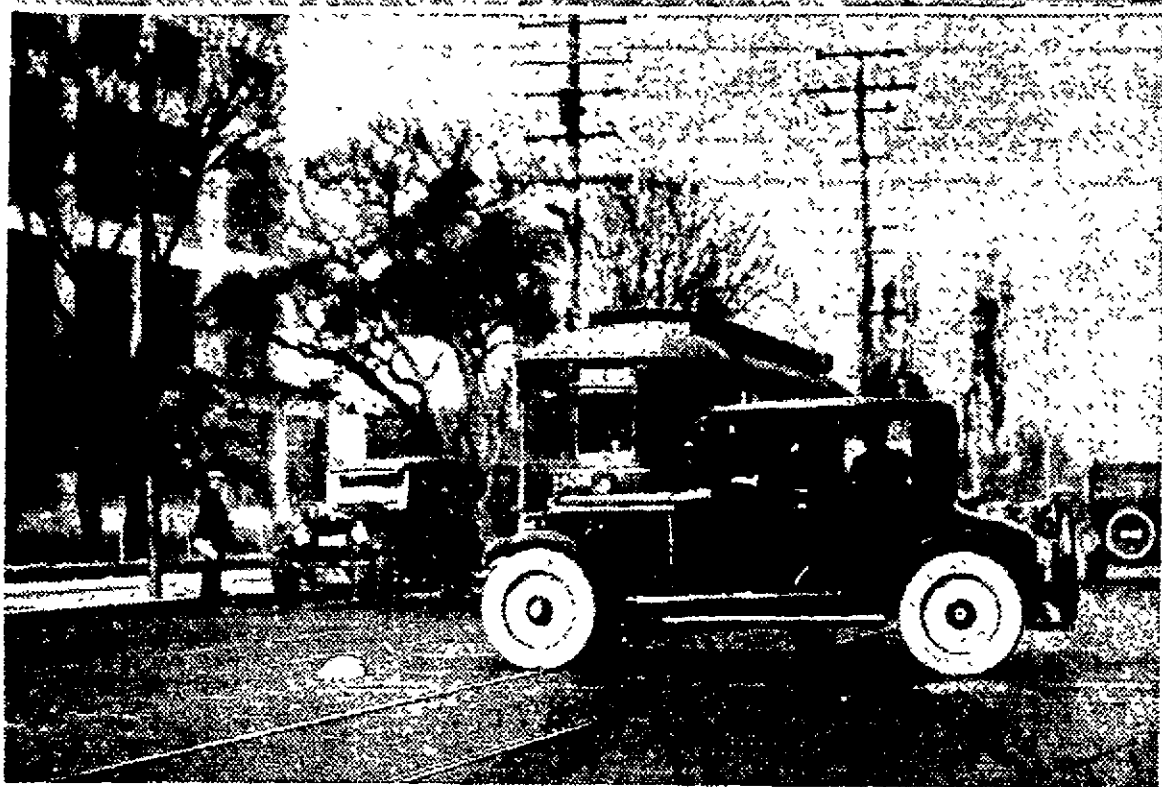
The January figures, by the way, do bespeak the good judgment of Ford in rushing into 10,000 cars per day, if possible, for 1924. The start for 1924 is a pace that will soon make possible another record year for the industry, which will almost certainly then take the lead of all industries in volume of sales. Truly this is the "Age of Transportation." The January figures topped the December figures by about 15 per cent.

Manufacturers are stepping up production, but are not overdoing the matter at all. It is not their wish to force the market nor force dealers to store a number of cars. The makers do not care to over-manufacture for the market and so are keeping away from overcrowding. They are building, in other words, for the market and in proportion to the early business of the year. Taking that into consideration, the gain of 39 per cent in January, 1924, over January, 1923, is most interesting and would seem to be a good line on the future. It is true that dealers are carrying rather large stocks for the spring business, but this is not at all out of the ordinary. Cars must be in hand when the spring rush comes to deliver immediately or sales may be lost and no dealer cares to lose any possible sale in these days of strenuous competition. It is likewise true that the manufacturers are themselves gathering together supplies of cars at strategic points to make quick shipments to the

WHAT'S the most dangerous crossing in Northern California? Is it this one at—

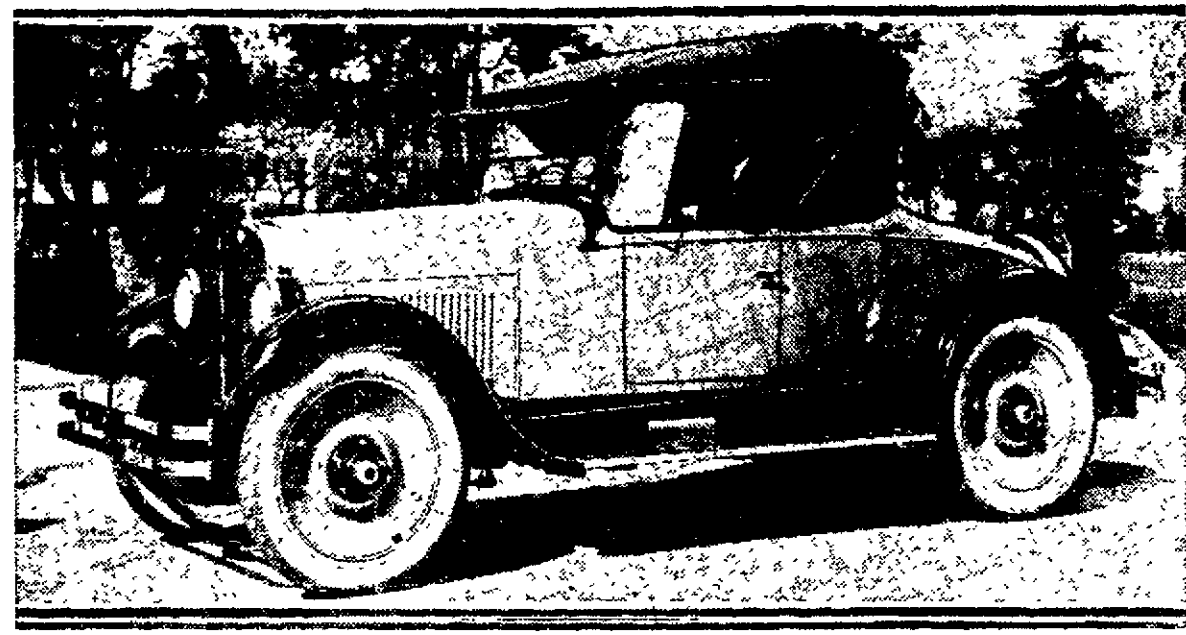
E. 14th St. at
29th Avenue

This crossing on East Fourteenth street, at Twenty-ninth avenue, has become one of the most congested in the Eastbay cities. The car is a Rickenbacker from the Rickenbacker company of Oakland, dealers here.



Roadsters Used for Business

An Oakland roadster, one of the new six-cylinder models equipped with four wheel brakes. The car is from the salesrooms of the California Auto Sales Company, dealers here.



dealers and so delay as little as possible in delivery of goods. Fine weather during the early winter and the successful shows have made for sales on an unusual scale during January. It may possibly be that a bad spring will follow the finer weather of the winter and so hold back sales for a time. But that will only mean a big rush later.

Ford has not attained his 10,000 daily yet. His January production was about 170,000 cars and February will be about the same. Ford must complete a number of new factory buildings before he will attain the required production and when that time arrives the year's production will go forward by leaps and bounds. Ford is the barometer

and, strange as it may seem, every maker is wishing him all the success in the world in the attainment of his 10,000 per day schedule. Were Ford to start to drop off a scale would be thrown into the industry, which feels that Ford owners are passing through their kindergarten and that Ford is really creating buyers for better cars. Increases are largest in the medium priced class, which is certain indication of the correctness of the statement that Ford creates buyers for cars slightly higher priced than his own. In other words, Ford owners step up. Yet there is no security of buyers for Ford cars, for the babies are growing up and the workmen are in high glee over good wages and decreases in living costs.

CIRCUS WILL FARE BETTER THAN CAR ON CUT IN TAXES

"Fifteen million motor vehicle owners have been ignored in the tentative schedule of the House ways and means committee, which proposes to reduce or do away with the special wartime levies on clocks, dresses, bowling bowls, knives and other items," said Alfred Reeves, general manager of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, commenting on the excise provisions of the new tax measure today.

"An effort to reduce taxes on all these items is commendable but it is highly inequitable to give relief to many items in the schedule, and completely ignore the 5 per cent burden on sales of cars and parts, and the 3 per cent levies on trucks, which comes out of the pockets of 15,000,000 motor vehicle users."

"Despite the presentations made before the committee by representatives of motor, rubber and accessory manufacturers, car users, taxicab owners and others, the man who has had an accident to his car must continue to pay the federal government a tax on his misfortune."

"The man who operates a truck or car must continue to pay a tax on transportation."

"The fact that motor car users frequently pay annual levies as many as 15 or 16 separate and distinct federal, state and municipal taxes per car, is forgotten. The user must still pay \$144,000,000 or more to the federal government in discriminatory levies on motor vehicles over and above all of the contributions which they must make as citizens, unless the ways and means committee or the membership of the House reverse their present attitude."

FOUR WHEEL BRAKE IS VITAL

The imminent peril offered by wet, greasy and icy pavements has been the bugaboo of drivers since the automobile came into general use.

The 1924 model of the Oakland Motor Company, equipped with the four-wheel brakes in a recent convincing demonstration on the glassy floor of an indoor ice skating rink in Cleveland, proved that the Oakland four-wheel brake keeps the car positively under the control of the driver at all times, regardless of road conditions.

The general manager of the Cleveland branch of the Oakland Motor Company, driving an Oakland touring car, ran on to the floor of the Elysum ice rink at Euclid avenue and East One Hundred and Seventh street and put the car through a series of non-skid tests staged without chills.

The slippery Elysum ice was selected to test the efficient braking system, as road conditions at any time of the year would not be as dangerous, due to the fact that it is practically impossible to create traction on ice.

THE SUNDAY MOTORIST

The Book of Motoring Knowledge could be compiled from the things auto owners forget and still have enough material left over for volume two.

YOUR UNDERLYING MINDS.

Psychologists now recognize the existence of four mind layers underlying the mind of the civilized being. It might be interesting to know how these underlying minds affect the average motorist's driving.

There is the animal mind, explained by the fact that we are all essentially animals and will always be so long as we eat, sleep, breathe and move. This is plainly indicated in the case of the automobile driver who, suddenly feeling the pangs of hunger, jams on his emergency brake and stops abruptly at the chicken and waffle establishment. Hunger calls to his animal instinct. He should worry about the safety of those who follow.

Secondly, there is the child mind, so called because we cannot outlive the impressions made upon our thinking apparatus during the early years of our lives. The auto driver will always delight in showing his friends how his car can climb hills.

The third layer of the intellect is the savage mind, a gift of our primitive ancestors. It is this mind that makes a driver feel that pedestrians have no right to be in his way that urges him to "hit 'em up," and that leads him into the inevitable dangers of discourtesy and retaliation.

Finally, there is the traditional civilized mind. The motorist forgets to signal his intentions to the man behind because other people also forget. He runs at high speed along the roadway, however badly his brakes are adjusted, just because civilization recognizes that speed as necessary. Everybody's doing it.

The facts would seem to point to a suspicion that man's least desirable mental contribution is that which he has acquired most recently. It seems to be his biggest stumbling block to the attainment of an ideal mind, or at least a sane motor mind.

THE OLD MECHANIC SAYS:

Do your springtime overhauling now. Everybody will be rushing to the repair shops and service stations just at the time when everybody ought to be getting the best service from cars. Don't follow this plan. It's better to get the work done now and have it done not merely promptly but right.

I'd like to figure out some time just how many overhauling jobs I hurry through and make a mess of just because car owners all pile in here at the same time and demand quick action. To make matters worse they make the mistake of trying to think of everything in the way of repairs to be attended to while the car is "down," and half of these have to be skinned over or overlooked entirely.

It isn't necessary to wait until spring to have the car tended to. As a matter of fact many a car owner could save himself a lot of spring

SAFETY FROM JEOPARDY URGED

"The car whose driver recklessly or drunkenly puts human life in jeopardy has no right on the street or highway. Take it away from him. Let the punishment follow the process of law. The term during which the car is impounded should vary according to the seriousness of the offense."

This declaration, shot forcefully into the proceedings of the tenth annual conference on highway engineering at the University of Michigan by George M. Graham was a dramatic event of the proceedings. It's justice and daring thrilled a large crowd.

Graham is chairman of the newly appointed traffic planning and safety committee, representing the Automobile Manufacturers' Association, the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

Therefore his drastic recommendation carried the full authority of the automobile industry which now takes its place among the leaders in demanding the safeguarding of traffic.

"The automobile is a benefit to civilization," said Graham. "It must not be converted into a menace by the small minority of cynics, less than 5 per cent, who do not drive considerably."

The man who cannot drive carefully has no right on the highway. Neither has his car."

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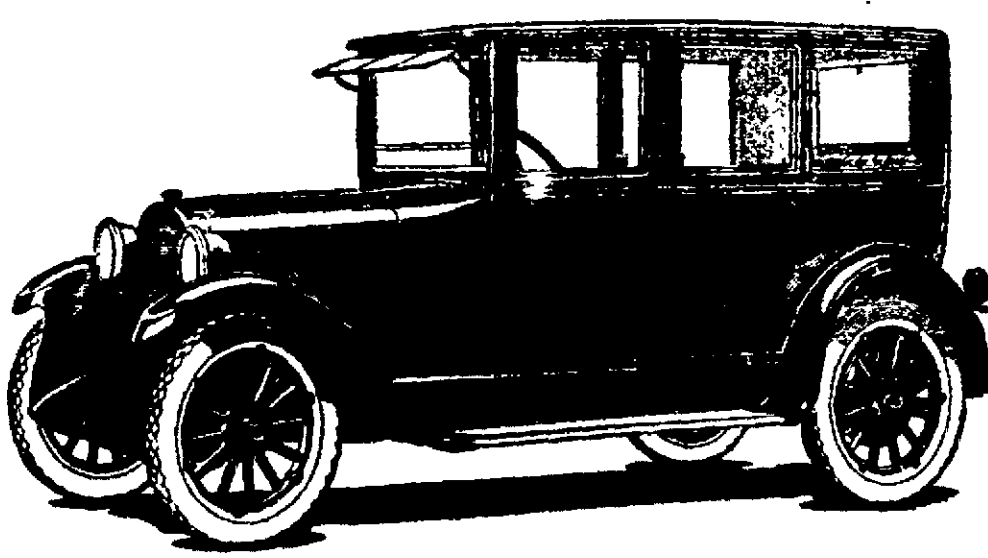
A woman will usually admire one thing about a car and a man another, but there is one feature of the new Type-B Sedan which both admire equally and emphatically—its exceptional driving ease.

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ENGINEER TELLS WHY WEAR MORE ON HEAVY TRUCKS

Vibration Causes Crystallization in Metal Structures; Difference in Springs.

By ETHELBERG FAVARY, Consulting Engineer, Moreland Motor Truck Company.

Vibration causes fatigue (crystallization) in every metal structure. Even though the finest steels are used in the manufacture of all the reputable cars and trucks, they will wear out. The average life of a touring car is much longer than that of a truck, even though the touring car is driven at much higher speeds. The chief difference affecting the life of the two are in the tires and in the springs.

DIFFERENCE IN SPRINGS.

A touring car weighing 3000 or 4000 pounds rarely carries a load in excess of about 1000 pounds, which is not more than about 25 per cent of its weight. A well-designed truck usually carries at full load 100 per cent, or more, of its own weight.

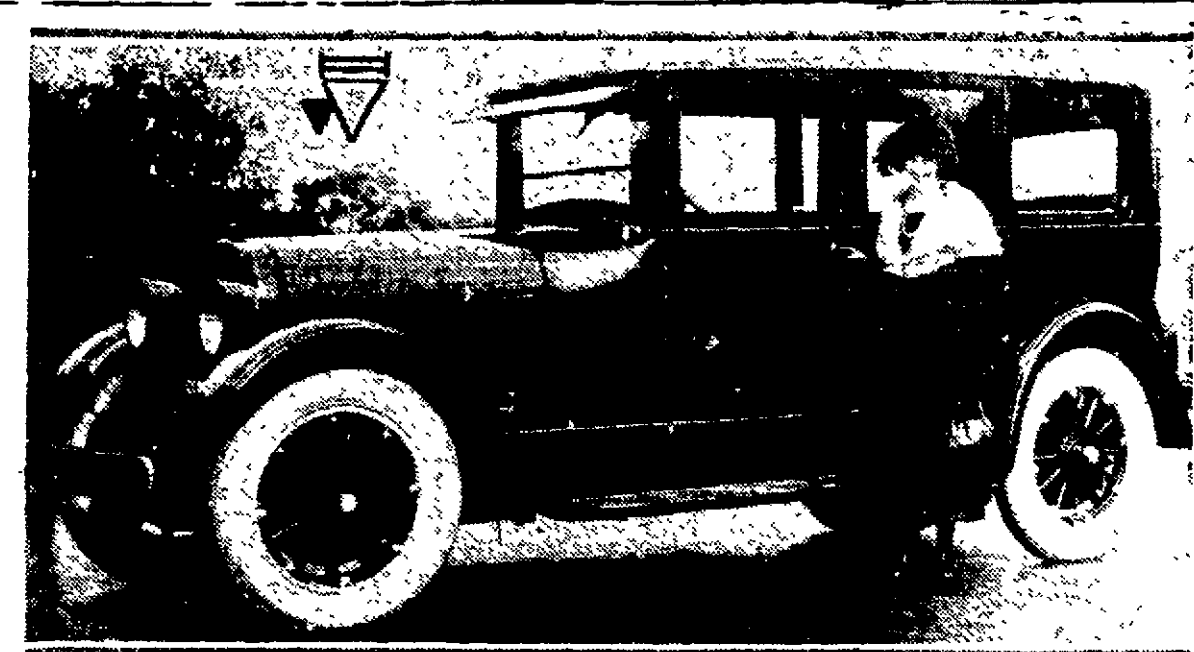
A spring is most efficient when it is deflected considerably. In a touring car the spring is always under considerable flexure since the "average" load is comparatively small. In most trucks, on the other hand, the springs hardly give at all unless the truck is loaded, for if they would flex much at no load, they would hit bottom under full load.

A pneumatic tire has the ability to absorb small shocks on the road without raising the axle. The tire will conform to the irregularity of the road surface, as the pressure on the outside overcomes the air pressure of the inside. Pneumatic tires are very quiet in action, that is to say, even when going at high speed, the tire is very efficient in absorbing shocks on the road and cushioning the vehicle.

A solid rubber tire on the other hand is slow in action. If a block of solid rubber is hit a rapid blow it will give very little, whereas if pressure or a load is applied slowly, it will give a considerable amount. The reason rubber is slow in action is that its shape changes under a load. It can be compressed into a smaller rubber space, rubber on the other hand, cannot be compressed, it can only be depressed when there is room for it to spread in another direction. In this respect rubber acts like a liquid, for instance, water, which is non-compressible. This is the chief reason why it is impossible to run at high speed with solid tires, and that the vibrations and jars increase very rapidly with speed. The increased hardness of solid tires begins to become very noticeable at about fifteen or sixteen miles per hour, depending on the quality of the rubber.

Furthermore, the softer the rubber the more power will it take to propel the truck. This is due to the fact that "rubber" is slow in action. When the truck is in motion the rubber in front of the wheel, where it first comes in contact with the road surface is depressed, while the part in contact with the road surface it will not press back against this surface and thus giving it a certain amount of retardation.

New Model Sedan Attractive. The latest of the Cadillac line, the seven-passenger sedan. The car has a steel body, mounted on the V-63 chassis. Don Lee's men delivered this car to Mrs. O. E. Kuhn last week.



lick, as is the case with the pneumatic tire. It takes time for rubber to be depressed, and it takes time for it to return to its original shape when the load is removed.

INCREASING TRUCK LIFE.

One suggested remedy is to use springs which deflect sufficiently at light loads, and yet not hit bottom under full load and road conditions.

Various spring-constructions embodying this principle have been used, some giving very good satisfaction. The underlying idea is to have a main spring and auxiliary spring. At light loads the main spring carries all the load; as the load increases the auxiliary spring gradually steps in and helps the main spring. This is especially useful on trucks of larger capacity.

Another remedy is to use pneumatic tires. Unfortunately, pneumatic tires are not as suitable for heavy loads as solid rubber tires, and they cannot stand "overloads." The price of pneumatic tires, suitable for heavy trucks, is, furthermore, very high.

One remedy, therefore, for increasing the life of light trucks, is the use of pneumatic tires, to increase the life of heavy trucks auxiliary springs should be used in conjunction with the main springs. While this construction is more costly, the extra expense is saved many times over in reduced truck depreciation and in lower repair bills and cost of maintenance.

BIG OAK FLAT TO BE IMPROVED WITH NEW GRADE

OAKDALE, Feb. 23.—The Big Oak Flat road to Yosemite Valley will soon be greatly improved in the national forest, as appropriations have been made for the carrying of the road between Carl Inn and Geary. At the present time the road runs over the mountain, making the grade very heavy in places, while the new grade will be around the mountain and will average but 4 per cent. While the new road will be somewhat longer than the present road the difference in the grades will more than offset the extra distance to be traveled.

Turned into the lane, the car when passed again the driver is generally the cause of the accident in the park.

4-WHEEL BRAKE SYSTEM IS HELD NATURAL GROWTH

"From some of the current discussion of four-wheel brakes one would imagine that locking the wheels was standard practice in applying brakes," states Ernest W. Seaholm, chief engineer of the Cadillac Motor Car Company.

"Some of these discussions," he continued, "conjure forth visions of long lines of four-brake cars approaching the traffic officer at his signal making instantaneous stops, like snowballs colliding with a stiff hat. As a matter of fact with many four-brake cars now on our streets, we find that drivers still have their usual amount of good judgment."

"The development of four-wheel brakes comes in the orderly progress of the industry, accelerated, of course, by the rapidly growing traffic congestion in our cities and on the great trunk highways."

"In the past the automotive industry has stressed engine development, and while we have been producing more and more cars, traffic engineers and highway experts have been busy devising new facilities and better highways for automobile travel."

"The progress from two to four wheel brakes parallels the development of the automobile engine. We went from the one cylinder to the two and from the two to the four and then to a greater number of cylinders. Not all multi-cylinder engines are of equal value, yet no one today would suggest going back to the single-cylinder, because the multi-cylinder engines universally give more satisfactory performance."

"Perfect control of a car includes power to stop as well as power to go ahead, and there can be as many gradations in braking systems as there are in engines."

"In developing Cadillac four-

wheel brakes, our standard required a system which would first of all be safe under all conditions, which would not affect steering, which would be easy to operate, which would allow the outside front wheel to roll free in rounding corners, which would not be unfavorably affected by water and heat, and one which would stand prolonged application without the need of frequent adjustment.

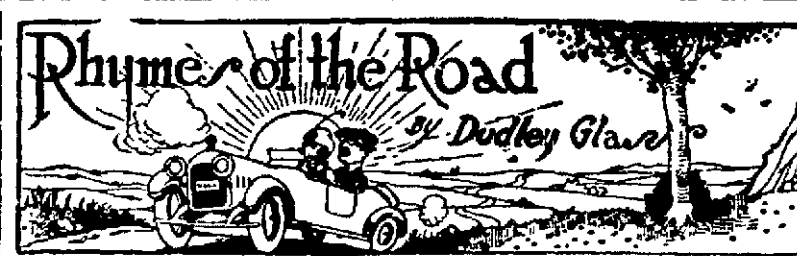
"There are all of these factors which must be considered in any good system of brakes and the ability to stop suddenly is only one of the reserve resources of the four-wheel braking system to be used in emergencies. Good drivers habitually apply brakes gradually.

NEW HEAD NAMED FOR A.A.A. BOARD

The appointment of Richard Kennerdell of Franklin, Pa., as the chairman of the contest board of the American Automobile Association, which was announced by Thomas P. Henry, president of the A. A. A., promises to create widespread interest in automobile racing circles throughout the country. Chairman Kennerdell is probably one of the best known authorities on automobile racing in the United States, having served as chairman of the contest board of the famous old three A's from 1914 to 1921. Kennerdell succeeds Joseph Mack of Detroit, who asked President Henry to be relieved of the work of the contest board on account of the large amount of time when the duties as chairman required at the expense of his large personal business interests.

Competition Keen Among Motor Makers

Competition among American motor manufacturers is keen. Evidence of it is found not only in "what is in the hood" but in the veritable aggravation of refinement that may touch the taste of the car buyer. As much as can be given for the price, but not a screw or bolt more than the price is wanted to the latest point.



On Sunday mornings Father grabs his coffee, toast and eggs. And slips into his oldest clothes and shooops around and begs. Some rags from Mother's sewing box, and raises lots of fuss. "I'm going to hurry out," says he, "and grease up that old bus."

"I'll want the car for Sunday school," says Mother. "John, please hurry!" "I'll have her done in half an hour," says Father. "Don't you worry!" And then he draws a quart of oil from that old grimy cask and whistles as he gets his tools and starts upon his task.

In half-an-hour we kids go down to see how he's progressing. Because it's high time that he was cleaning up and dressing. He's on his back beneath the car, the crankcase plug is out and all the oil is down his ears and neck and thereabout.

His eyes are gummy with blackened grease, his hair is full of oil. He looks just like some chimney sweep returning from his toil. His face is black, his hands a sight, and from his clothes a smell. We kids look like the cat we once fished from the well.

"Oh, Dad, come hurry up and wash and let us be away, for soon we shall be late to church," we kids hear Mother say.

And then he lays his oil can down and looks at her and spouts. But Mother would not let us tell the words that Father utters.

"IN EXCELLENT CONDITION." FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—One seven-passenger touring car in good condition for cattle or hogs. —Adv. in Illinois paper.

Next to the problem of where to park is the question of getting out again after you have parked.

A guy we hate is Axel Chue; he parks his car across our drive. "XOLE EB, HE SAYS.—Down in Atlanta this month they held the Southern Auto show in the same building which had just housed a big poultry exhibit. Salesmen said they had a tough time chasing chickens out of the chummy coupes.

DRAINING THE CRANKCASE IS ONE PROBLEM

Certain cars have no way of draining the crankcase from underneath, and the problem of getting out the oil is difficult under some conditions. The best plan, however, is to disconnect the feed pipe to the gauge and place its end in a bucket. Start the motor and run slowly. In this way the oil is drawn out of the crankcase into the bucket or other receptacles.

PIONEER AUTO BUILDER BEGINS WORLD CRUISE

R. E. Olds is on a cruise around the world. Mrs. Olds accompanies him. Olds is now receiving payment in full for his foresight in the olden days when he figured out the future of the motor car and went ahead along his own line, regardless of dire forebodings of friends and relatives, who made every endeavor to dissuade him. Many young men who believed Olds knew entered his employ and graduates of Olds school of instruction are today among the prominent makers and officials of motor car companies in every section of the country.



We Told You Last Sunday That in the Year Just Closed 905 People Had Paid Over \$1,500,000 for

Studebaker Sixes

In Alameda County Alone, Thus Placing Us in the Envidable Position of Leadership in Sales of All Cars, Either Fours or Sixes or Fours and Sixes Combined, Selling Over \$650.

NOW, WE'LL TELL YOU WHY

These buyers realized that there are only two kinds of cars to be had today. Economically produced cars which give you more for your money, and cars which are not economically produced, and which give you less.

Prices do not indicate intrinsic worth—they indicate the individual maker's cost of production. For instance, two cars may show a difference in cost of \$400 to \$1200 and more. And these two cars may be of the same quality.

This difference in price simply shows that it cost one maker more to make this car than the other. This being a fact, and it is; judging value on price alone is folly. There is no such thing as "price class."

We showed these buyers how Studebaker, producing 150,000 cars yearly, has reduced engineering costs to \$2.33 per car. This is based on a total engineering cost of \$300,000 a year, which is the least on which any manufacturer can maintain an efficient engineering department.

This being the case, a manufacturer producing only 20,000 cars a year must add \$25 per car for engineering, or eight times as much as Studebaker. And then we took up the matter of body building in which Studebaker excels. We showed them how a set of body dies cost \$100,000. That this set of body dies will produce many sets of body stampings, each perfect. How Studebaker by building 50,000 bodies from a single set of dies reduces the die cost per body to only \$2.00.

We brought out the fact that the average small manufacturer whose volume will enable him to produce only 5,000 bodies from a set of dies in the same time that Studebaker builds 50,000 has to charge each body \$20 for die cost. The difference of \$18 being in the price but not in the body. The customer has to pay this extra cost but he gets nothing more for it.

It is the penalty of uneconomical manufacture—not a desire on the part of the manufacturer to profiteer—he is simply up against it because of lack of volume.

By steps such as these we showed these buyers how a car priced at \$1,500 to \$1,900 can be sold for less than \$1,700 when produced economically in quantities.

And then we showed him the Studebaker Light Six, priced at \$1,260 here. It was facts, facts such as these that we were able to present to these prospective buyers that made of them Studebaker owners and that placed us in the enviable position of leadership—that enabled us to sell more cars in 1923 in Alameda County than any other dealer handling a car priced at over \$650.

Buy no car until you have seen a Studebaker. Go over it point by point. Consult any unbiased expert—and you, too, will buy a Studebaker.

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3. How many cars a year does this maker produce? Small productions mean either a higher price or a cheaper car.
4. What sort of upholstery? Studebaker closed models are done in Chase Mohair, the finest material for this purpose known. Open models are upholstered in genuine leather.

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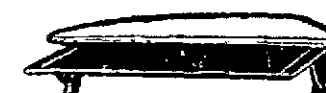
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SERVICE DEFINED AS GETTING VALUE FOR MONEY SPENT

Not "Something for Nothing" Sales Manager Says; Impossible in Business.

By E. T. STRONG
(General Sales Manager Buick Motor Company.)

The question is often asked, "What is service?" and it is general knowledge that "service" is a much-abused term. Buick's conception of the meaning of service is not "something for nothing," and most motorists agree with that viewpoint.

The average automobile owner fully realizes that business cannot be conducted on the basis of something for nothing. He is fully satisfied to pay for services rendered him in the way of adjustments and repairs for his car, provided that he can feel sure that such repairs and adjustments will be made in an efficient manner and in a reasonable time.

The reason that conceptions of service different than this sometimes arise, generally is due to the lack of a clear understanding between the motor car buyer and the dealer at the outset as to just what service means. If a dealer gives an owner reason to believe when he purchases an automobile that the purchase price also entitles him to a certain amount of repairs and adjustments, whether such an understanding arises by a direct promise or by inference, it is only natural that the owner is going to expect and demand just such attention.

Inasmuch as the prices of Buicks are established purely on a cost basis, plus a reasonable profit, it is easily understood that any repairs made to a car after it is in the owner's hands should be paid for by the owner. And we believe, as we said before, that the owner has no objection to paying for such repairs if he can be assured that he is getting full value for his money.

Buick realizes, however, that service has a still deeper meaning than this, and therefore Buick's first concern is to so build its product that it will seldom need repair or adjustment. Buick then supplements the high quality of its product by a competent and nationwide service organization that will provide the Buick owner with adjustments and such repairs for his car as may be required from time to time by reason of mishaps and by natural wear brought about by strenuous or long use.

The motorist enters a Buick authorized service station in any part of the country, not with the expectation of getting something for nothing, but with the assurance of getting full value for his money, as he did when he bought his Buick car.

BIG YEAR FOR TRUCK DEALERS

"Nineteen twenty-four is going to be a big year from a highway transportation standpoint," states Pat Harper, manager of the Federal Truck Company branch here.

"January of this year starts off with our company with an increase in its orders over January of last year, and January, 1923, was the best January in four years. Orders are coming in plentifully from countries abroad showing that the whole world is getting back into a good business stride. Our export manager, Ward Mohun, leaves this week for a trip around the world to visit all of the important countries except in South America. He is making this trip because of the increased interest in highway transportation in foreign countries.

"Domestic sales of trucks are on the increase and we are preparing for the largest year. Federal has ever had by the establishment of new branches and new distributor and dealer connections. Our production schedule has been increased and we expect to be able to take care of all of the business which comes as a result of forward strides of transportation in 1924."

Steam Car Companies May Become One
Steam Vehicle Corporation of America, Syracuse, N. Y., has offered to buy the total assets of the Stanley Motor Carriage Company of Newton, Mass. The proposal has been received favorably by a majority of the Stanley stockholders.

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AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANY
Winter Schedule
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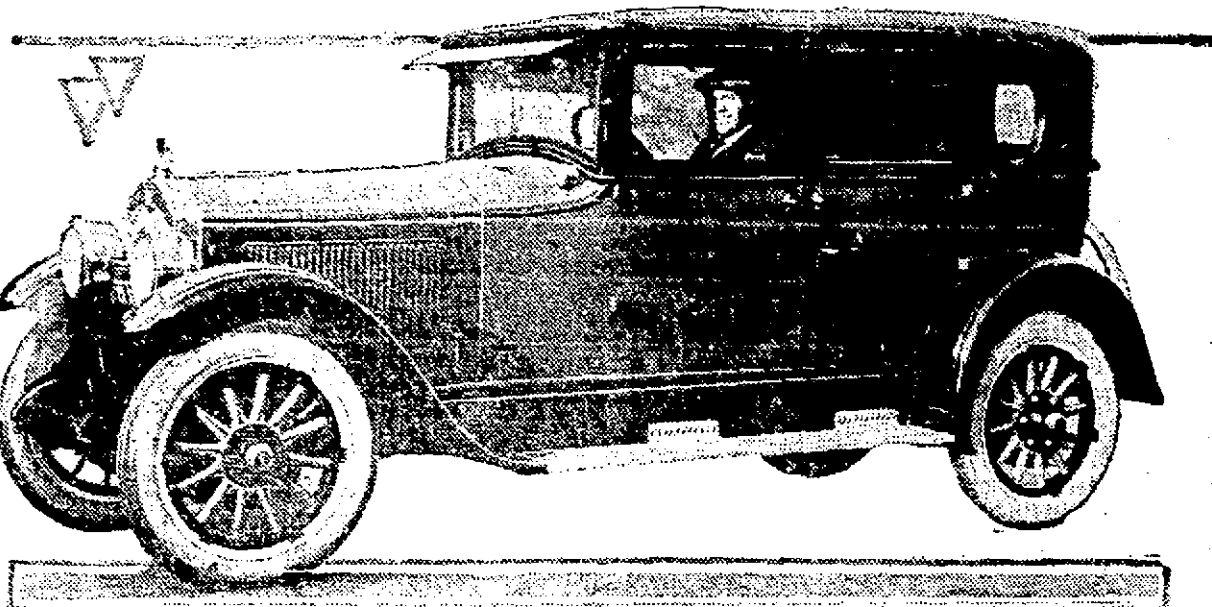
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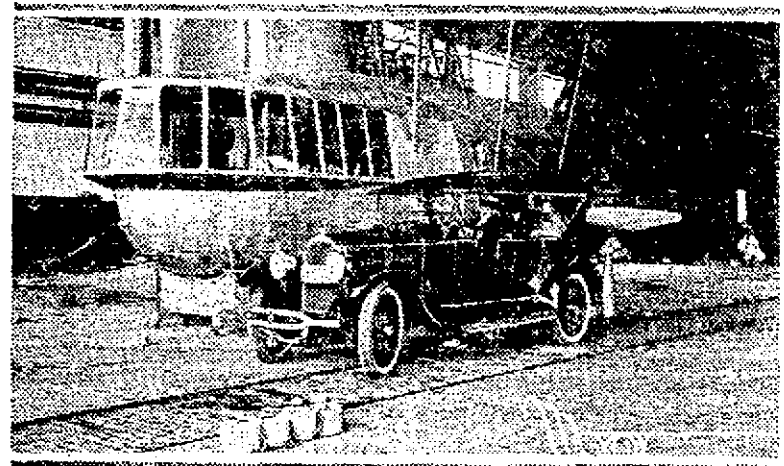
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New Brougham Auto Show Feature.
The latest of the new Buick line, the Brougham, which was displayed at the automobile show in San Francisco last week. The car will be here today, at the Howard Automobile company's salesrooms.



Navy Airship a Runaway
One of the control cars on the dirigible Shenandoah with a Packard single six alongside. The great airship is powered with Packard motors, which received a tremendous test in the "runaway."



MOTOR BUS AND TRUCK POPULAR

Following close on the heels of the Pennsylvania railroad system had adopted motor trucks to make short hauls between certain cities in the East, comes word from W. C. Morse, who has the agency for the Gardford truck here, that schools and street railways are also increasing the use of the truck for transportation needs. "Twelve thousand, five hundred consolidated schools in the United States are using the motor truck for transportation for the students," said Morse. "Street railways use the truck number 187. By truck I mean motor bus to supplement rail service."

"When one studies the figures it is extremely apparent that the idea which was allowed to gain credence, in regard to opposition between railways and motor truck interests, is absolutely unfounded. In fact, the motor truck has saved the street car companies much money," continued Morse. "Before the truck was practical the end of the line on a street car

system was usually for out in the suburbs, where the district had not yet built up. The street car company had to put in a line and operate cars back and forth, taking on but few passengers in relation to the size of the street cars and the frequency of their trips. Now buses can be sent out to the 'end of the line' and large outlays for poles, tracks and stations saved until the district under consideration merits a line penetrating its territory."

PRODUCTION OF 1924 ESTIMATES VARY MILLION

"Ned" Jordan estimates 4,500,000 production for 1924. Marc Braun of Detroit estimated 5,499,000 for the year and F. Ed. Spooner, after going over the situation, made his figures 5,500,000 without knowing of the estimate of Braun or Jordan. The matter of 1,000,000 motor cars is a small difference nowadays when all estimates go glimmering under demands of the public and when so many conditions affect the situation. However, it would look as though the figures set by the Motor and Accessory Manufacturers' Association, after interviewing the makers, 3,500,000 cars were on a par with the figures of Spooner for California. Last March when he estimated, amidst smiles of the knowing ones, 200,000 cars to be sold in California. No one seemingly believed this figure would be reached, but it was topped by 50,000, or 250,000 in all, and now should California keep pace with national gains the figure may go over 300,000 in 1924 for the state, and California, with three-quarters the population of Greater New York, may even top the Empire state in total registrations as it has in registrations of passenger cars. If it does that California will make the gain through a great increase in passenger car registrations to overcome New York truck registrations, which must of necessity too California for some time.

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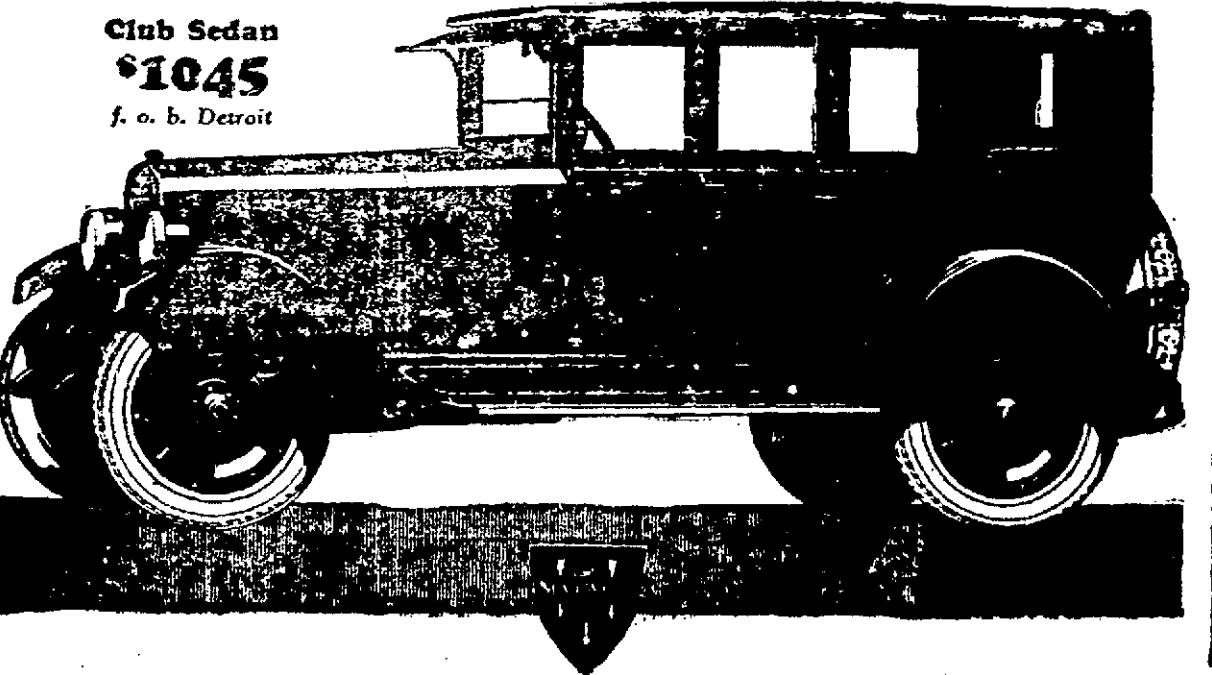
Utility—first, last and all the time—is the big feature of the Maxwell Club Sedan. You'll find a roomy body, ample for five full grown persons. The wide doors and detachable upholstery permit the carrying of heavy, bulky articles—goods of almost every kind.

This happy combination of sensible service and genuine comfort is built on the good Maxwell chassis—an assurance of dependable, economical performance.

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CLOSED TYPE OF MACHINES GAIN IN POPULARITY

One Company Unable to
Meet Demands for Coupes
During Past Year.

An official report, just made public by Collin C. Campbell, general manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company gives a line-up on Chevrolet production figures for the year ended December 31, 1923.

Including all models, the total output for Chevrolet last year was 453,452, according to Campbell's figures.

Between 55 and 56 per cent of this total was closed cars. The percentage would have been considerably higher had closed body facilities been adequate to meet the demand.

Additions to present body plants and completion of new ones will permit of a greatly increased closed car production during the coming year.

Particularly is this true for the Pacific coast territory, because of the fact that the Fisher Body Corporation, manufacturers of Chevrolet closed bodies, is now building a big body plant here in Oakland. This unit will supply closed bodies for Chevrolet cars throughout this territory.

It is also noteworthy that the Chevrolet factory in Oakland has been enlarged, allowing a considerably higher output scale for Pacific coast distribution. Additions to Chevrolet plants throughout the country will increase that line's productive point to 3000 cars daily by March 1, it is estimated. The building program at the local plant was occasioned by a tremendous swelling of Pacific coast sales.

U. S. MOTORISTS' BOARD TO ASK CASH FOR ROADS

The National Motorists' Association, with 374 automobile clubs in support, is developing a program under which it will ask Congress for such legislation as will solve the automobile problems of tomorrow as well as today. An important feature will be the urging of highway appropriations for durable roads, not merely mileage. From every section of the country come reports that legislation for highways to meet present needs will fail to provide adequate roads for the future.

A survey of road mileage figures, compiled by the Bureau of Public Roads, shows that for every mile of public road in the United States there are 4.01 automobiles. June 1, 1923, showed 2,948,273 miles of public roads.

MOTOR COMPANY CHIEF RETURNS FROM LONG TRIP

James D. Mooney, president of the General Motors Export Company, has returned from a four months' trip which took him vir-

tually around the world. His chief purpose was to get into closer contact with the representatives of his company in the far corners of the globe, and he found that they were functioning efficiently at almost every point. Mooney found that economic conditions are slowly improving and he is confident the export market will be even better next year than it has been in 1923.

Walter Johnson, general manager of General Motors of London, England, returned to this country with Mooney on one of his periodic visits.

There are more cars stolen yearly in the 28 major cities of the United States than the total number in use in Europe, except in France and England.



Chrysler Six performance, in its every phase, tells that a distinctly new kind of motor car has been built. Only proven principles of engineering have entered into the building of the Chrysler Six, yet intensive research and development have made possible high performance results that are truly remarkable.

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SPRING SEASON FOR AUTO BUYING ON, SAYS DEALER

Local Auto Man Declares
Business Is Now Showing
Better Signs.

Already the great spring buying season is on, according to Eb Wells, vice-president and general manager of the Weaver-Wells Company, Studebaker dealers here. "Auto shows are over for the season, and people who might have waited for one reason or another are coming into the salesrooms to inspect and not sold on their spring models," states Wells. The executive stated that conditions were favorable from all angles. He said that Studebaker was represented by three large stores in vantage points in the greater Eastbay, while a fourth would be opened the first part of next month. "We have establishments in Richmond, Berkeley and Oakland, with a fine store that will be opened soon in East Oakland," remarked Wells.

"Besides the advantage of convenient sales and service stations, we know that people are in favor of the renowned Studebaker policies of conservatism in the building of motor cars that will function best in the every-day requirements of transportation. January found us in the lead among cars of like class. Studebaker is not having the sales argument on one point alone, but on an ensemble of points. We realize that one feature will not make the automobile perform in a satisfactory manner."

"It has been estimated that over 1,500,000 cars would be registered in California in 1924. We hope to contribute a fine gain in Studebaker at any rate. Our sales staffs at the various stations are enthused and prepared to greet the opening of the spring season with more orders than ever before."

"Many people have taken to regular week-end touring, even in February. Just wait until March and April come around. Then the urge for a good, reliable, fast car will be uppermost in many minds. For that reason we are urging people to turn in orders now to avoid the expected spring shortage."

Auto Man Wants To Be Publisher

George C. Hubbs is going to be a publisher but history thus far does not record in just what field Hubbs, former sales manager of Dodge Brothers, took the position with Grand Motors and after a vain at-

Yosemite in Spring Garb—Little Snow.

A Studebaker in the famous valley of the high Sierra. Superintendent Lewis reports the roads and rails open and in excellent condition. There is water in the falls and little snow. It is an open winter. The car is a Studebaker from Weaver-Wells Company here.



tempt to revive that company became general manager of E. W. Steinhart, at Indianapolis, from which position he resigned to take up his present work. It is stated that his new connection is very advantageous.

Business To Resume In Plant Rumored

Now that it has sold its Lansing plant to the Reo Motor Company, the Duplex Truck Company will

move to its former plant at Charlotte, Mich., and will resume operations. The resignation of H. M. Lee as president and general manager has been accepted, and Joseph Gerson has been named to succeed him.

COMPANY PLANS FOR BIG FUTURE

The Mitchell Motor Car Company of Racine, Wis., successor to Mitchell Motors Company Inc., is preparing to carry on an extensive program of future operations. L. H. Bridgman, recently elected president, states that formal announcement of the entire plans of the new organization will be made within a very short time.

The Mitchell plant will still be located in Racine, notwithstanding all reports to the contrary. A number of the old Mitchell executives have been retained, but, in addition, there have been brought into the organization some of the best known men in the industry, among them Dallas E. Winslow, sales manager, who for several years past has been prominently identified with the sale of Dodge Brothers motor cars.

Repair parts and service for all models made by the Mitchell organization will be furnished, as usual, direct from the factory.

Doolittle Named

Sales Manager

Albert H. Doolittle, veteran in the automotive industry, has been appointed sales manager of the Philbrin Corporation, Kennett Square, Pa. The company manufactures the Philbrin Ignition.

Carburetor trouble may be due to trouble in the flow of the gasoline; to dirt or water in the gasoline; to a sticking or leaking carburetor float; to extra air leaking in between the carburetor and cylinder; or to failure of the gasoline to vaporize when the engine is cold.

AUTO FIRM BUYS 1075-ACRE AREA

General Motors has purchased a tract of 1075 acres in Oakland and Livingston counties, Michigan, about four miles from Medford. This is about the center of a triangle three corners of which are Lansing, Lunt and Detroit, at which points, as well as Pontiac, are located the car operations of General Motors.

It is proposed to develop on this tract a system of roadways in which will be represented all types and conditions of roads, such as the most modern highway, good and poor, country roads, hills of all kinds and descriptions as well as roads specially constructed to determine various factors in car performance. There will be suitable living quarters and testing facilities for the corporation's technical staff.

When the development is completed, practically all road testing will be made on the corporation's private property, thus relieving the regular highways of work of this character. It is believed that such work can be much more thoroughly, as well as effectively and economically, conducted in this manner. The concentration of such work will bring together the entire technical staff and is sure to result in still furthering the position of the corporation's products from the technical standpoint.

The operation will be in charge of a corps of trained men with exceptional facilities for systematic study of very latest developments, both present as well as prospective designs.

While it is recognized that each

General Motors unit is individually responsible for the development of its own individual product, nevertheless through co-operation and co-ordination, which only the resources of a very large corporation like General Motors could make possible, a still more effective result can in this way be obtained.

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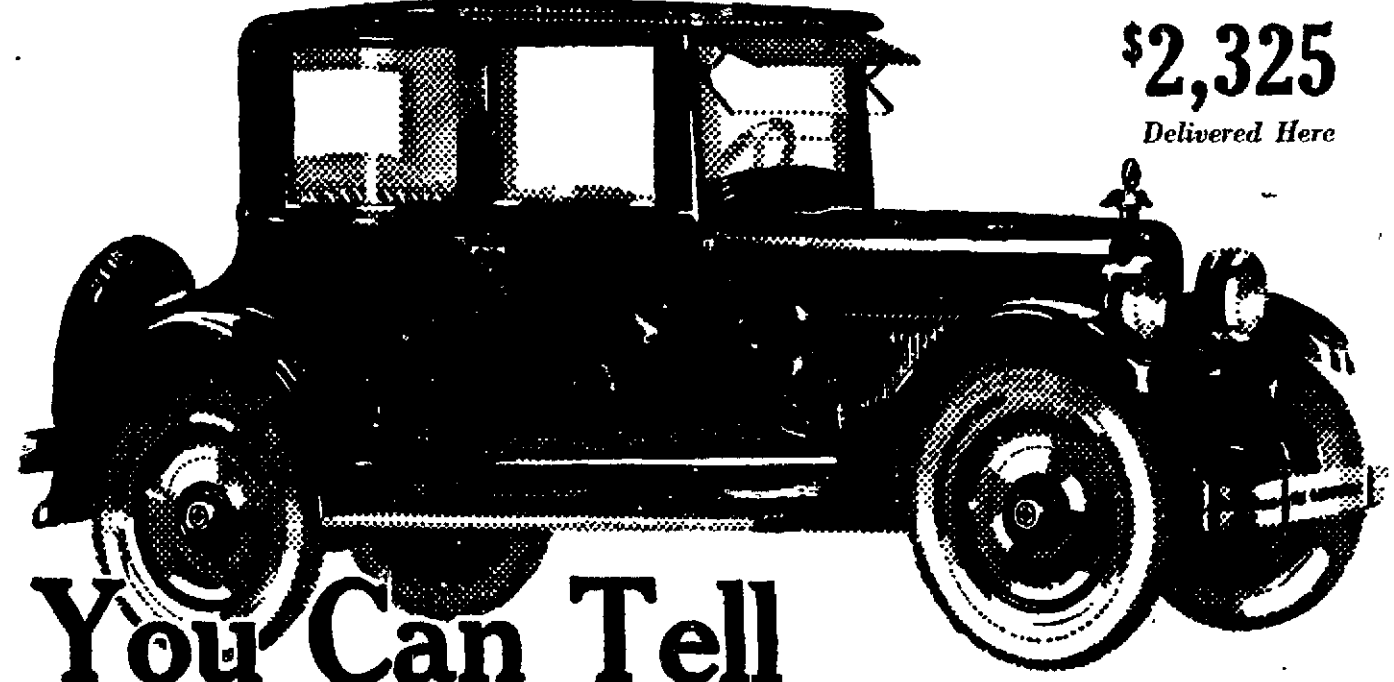
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If you could look down from an aeroplane upon the moving throng of automobiles during the rush hour—five to six p. m.—you could pick out every Rickenbacker Six easily.

You could do that even if you were so high you could not distinguish its graceful lines.

For, behind each Rickenbacker you would see a generous space.

Driver behind sees the warning—"4-Wheel Brakes!"—and he respects it.

It is amusing, by the way, for the Rickenbacker owner to watch thru his Rear Vision Mirror and note the actions of the car behind.

If perchance it comes in from a side street, and as so many foolish drivers do, approaches to within four feet of the car in front of him in dense traffic, before he catches sight of the "4-Wheel Brakes!"

You will see him suddenly back off—and stay at a respectful distance.

Often you will see his wife indicating, with lips clearly saying, "Look out, that's a Rickenbacker Six in front—I hope we may have one soon."

Rickenbacker drivers enjoy an immunity from the dread of being bumped from the rear even as they are absolutely safe from front-end collisions.

No other car can stop as quickly as a Rickenbacker Six—that has been proven in the most conclusive tests; no 2-Brake car can stop half as quickly.

It's the front-end accident that you are responsible for. Your Rickenbacker 4-Wheel Brakes take care of that.

And that Warning which every Rickenbacker owner carries on his spare tire always guarantees more space than he needs between him and the next car behind.

Owners of previous Rickenbacker models which had only two brakes—tell many amusing stories about the wide berth other cars give them also. They Own the Road if you believe all they say.

That's because the very name Rickenbacker and the term "4-Wheel Brakes" are synonymous in the minds of motorists.

For all authorities know that Rickenbacker not only pioneered in this greatest improvement since the Self-Starter, but that Rickenbacker still has the best 4-Wheel Brakes—the most perfectly equalized and the simplest to adjust—in the whole world.

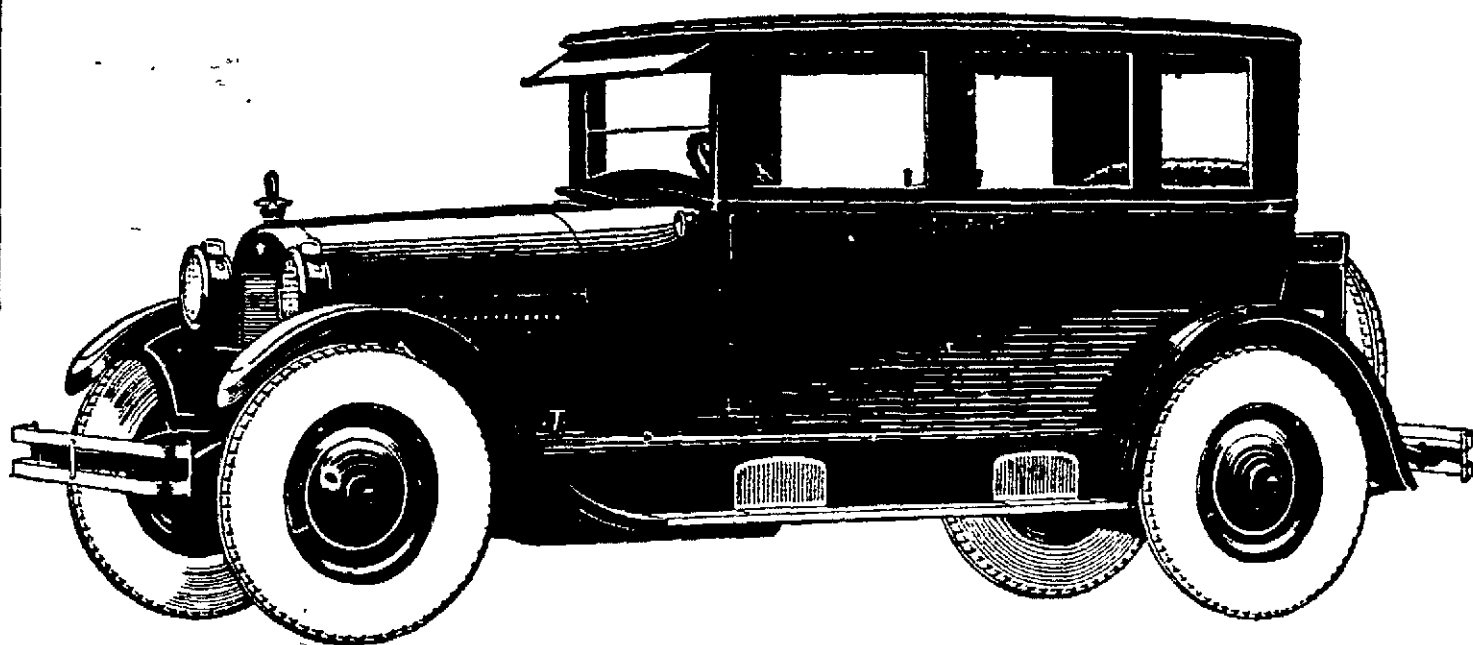
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SERVICE DEALERS

Frankly Answer 20 Questions Motorists Are Asking About

BALLOON GUM-DIPPED CORDS

Much confusion and misrepresentation has been caused by manufacturers offering oversized cord tires announced as "Balloons" or "Balloon-type" which are in reality semi-balloons.

The true Balloon was pioneered and perfected by Firestone. We, the Firestone Service Dealers of this territory, after talking with hundreds of interested motorists, have

prepared the following answers to twenty questions, so that you may be fully acquainted with the situation, and authentically informed about the construction features and advantages of the genuine Balloon Tires.

You, no doubt, have either asked the same questions---or, at least have had them in mind. Now---you have them frankly and truthfully answered.

1 What is a real Balloon Tire?

The true Balloon is a super-size Gum-Dipped Cord that is specially designed and constructed. It has twice the air capacity and operates successfully with only half the pressure of regular tires. We believe it to be the most important contribution to motoring comfort, safety and economy since the invention of the pneumatic tire.

2 How does it differ from the interchangeable or "Semi-Balloon"?

The so-called "balloons" that are interchangeable with present wheel and rim equipment are merely 10% to 20% oversized cord tires, with fewer plies. They are little better than your present regular cords. The true balloon has double the air capacity of the regular tire it replaces, has its thinner side wall made extra strong and is mounted on a smaller diameter wheel, so that the gear ratio of the car is unchanged, and the proper fender clearance is provided.

3 Can a real Balloon Tire be applied to present wheels?

NO. To provide sufficient tire section to carry the load on low air pressure it is necessary to have a larger tire than can be applied to wheels and rims now on cars using high pressure tires.

4 Why are the smaller wheels necessary?

Firestone Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords do not change the present operation of your car. For instance, a 7.30 balloon gum-dipped cord replaces a 33x5 standard size tire. It is mounted on a wheel 20 inches in diameter. This makes the outside diameter actually no greater than the standard tire it replaces. We have special service wheels built by Firestone, with spokes offset three-quarters of an inch. This readily takes care of fender and body clearances. And it is a fact that you cannot replace a regular 33x5 tire with a semi-balloon without wheel changes.

5 Who was responsible for the real Balloon Tire?

Firestone made the low air pressure idea practical and developed the Balloon Gum-Dipped Cord to its present point of utility.

6 What made the real Balloon Tire practical?

GUM DIPPING. Low pressure tires require thin side walls that flex easily as road shocks are encountered. Firestone found the way to combine extreme flexibility with toughness and strength. The Firestone gum-dipping process impregnates each cord with special rubber compound.

7 Has the real Balloon Tire been tested?

YES. Before announcing Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords to the public, Firestone submitted them to more than two million miles of test driving, and millions of additional miles of actual service have strongly emphasized their wonderful advantages.

8 Do Automobile Manufacturers offer real Balloons as original equipment?

YES. Sixteen leading car manufacturers today offer Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords as original or optional equipment. They put Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords to their own tests before offering them to the public.

9 Do Automobile Manufacturers offer Semi-Balloons as original equipment?

NO. No automobile manufacturer uses Semi-Balloons, either as original or optional equipment, as they would change gear ratios, interfere with fender and body clearances, and cause other mechanical difficulties.

10 Do real Balloons make riding more comfortable?

YES. They do what tires from the first were intended to do---cushion the car on air. Bumps,

holes, and irregularities are completely absorbed, making even the worst road smooth to travel. If you have never ridden on real Balloon tires, you cannot conceive the luxurious riding comfort, the wonderful feeling of safety and complete relaxation they make possible.

11 Are True Balloon Cords safer?

YES. Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords virtually eliminate skidding, and give you both wheel and braking control of your car, never before experienced. Their broad, flexible treads have twice the contact area with the road. Multiplied crosses, squares, and deep grooves cling to slippery surfaces and increase the traction.

12 Do they add to the life of your car?

YES. By cushioning jolts and vibration below the hubs. Wear and tear on the motor, gears and bearings, from the pounding of the road, is reduced. Crystallization of chassis parts is slowed down and body squeaks and rattles are minimized.

13 Do Genuine Balloons cut down power or increase fuel consumption?

NO. Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords do not change the gear ratio of your car---do not increase gasoline consumption---do not decrease tire mileage---do not decrease acceleration---do not affect the cars' hill climbing ability.

14 What happens when a real Balloon Tire is punctured?

NOTHING. In the first place, they do not puncture as easily as ordinary tires due to the fact that they yield rather than be pierced by the puncturing object. Secondly, when a puncture does occur the air escapes slowly because of the low pressure.

15 Do they make steering harder?

NO. Steering is actually easier when car is in motion and long distance runs are made with much

less fatigue to driver, as car holds a steadier course. When maneuvering into a cramped parking space more of an effort is required at the wheel.

16 Do real Balloon tires "shimmy"?

NO. Not when wheels and tires are correctly balanced. Due to Firestone's unusual method of balancing tube and carcass, with proper relation to valve, splice, bead and other parts, vibration in steering mechanism is practically nil.

17 How am I to know a real Balloon Tire?

By its greater size, its thin side wall, its distinctive tread of grooves and crosses and squares, the name Firestone on the side wall and the Mark of Quality.

18 Are real Balloon Tires standardized?

Automotive authorities have approved the Balloon Tire as applied to 20- and 21-inch wheels in the sizes offered by Firestone---4.40 and 5.25 on the 21-inch wheel, 6.20 on both 20- and 21-inch wheels and 7.30 on the 20-inch wheel.

19 Are real Balloon Tires made for all cars?

YES. The genuine Balloon Gum-Dipped Cord can be had in sizes for all cars. For instance, a 7.30 Balloon Gum-Dipped Cord replaces a 33x5 standard size Firestone, and a 4.40 Balloon replaces a 30x3 1/2-inch tire, used by light car owners. We have the wheels and rims built by Firestone which makes Balloons applicable to all makes and models.

20 Who will make the change-over to real Balloons for me?

We will. And do it so quickly, too, because we are supplied with the Firestone special service wheel for Balloon equipment. We would like to explain this feature to you in detail and answer any other questions you may have in mind regarding this wonderful tire. Drive around, anytime, and let us arrange to take you for a demonstration. A ride on Balloon Gum-Dipped Cord---on any street---will amaze you.

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H & H Tire Shop, 3823 E. 14th St.

Hall & Barker, 1407 E. 16th St.

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DELIVERIES FOR MONTH BREAK ALL FORMER RECORDS

Dealers Say Response to
Line Has Been Most
Generous.

Essex Six deliveries this month by Hamlin & Wichman, Alameda county Hudson-Essex dealers, have shattered all previous records to date, including single day car deliveries, according to E. A. Hamlin, general manager of that company, who told of twenty-six cars being delivered to owners in a single day last week. The day's record of twenty-six did not include all Essex cars, but with new Hudson coach jobs, the total was swelled. During the past week carload shipments of the Essex Six coach and touring models have been arriving in Oakland and deliveries have been made just as fast as the cars arrived. During the period from February 19 until last night, Saturday, the 23rd, over forty Hudson and Essex Six cars had been placed in the hands of new owners.

"The public response to the new Essex Six line has been truly amazing," stated Hamlin. "When the car was first announced last December, we received many orders, but the avalanche of the past few weeks has broken all previous marks set by our organization since we have been in business. One of the prime reasons for this is that the Hudson Motor Car Company engineers have developed the Essex Six for an entirely new market. It is a car selling for a low price and it has big car appointments. It has the stampana of the former Essex, plus the smooth flow of power that has always been identified with Hudson. The new Essex has the patented Hudson compensating crankshaft, the aluminum pistons, Morse silent chain timing, gears, roller tappets, the exclusive Hudson oiling system whereby lubrication for the most part is done simply with an oil can, radiator shutters operated from the dash. No wonder the orders have been coming in at a fast rate. "What is occasioning us great satisfaction," continued the Hudson executive, "is the fact that we will receive generous carload shipments at a steady rate. We can soon give immediate deliveries, even if a record number of Essex Six cars are being delivered every day at our Oakland, Berkeley and East Oakland stores."

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE AUTO WORLD BY B. J. ROSENTHAL

G. M. Haskins, manager of the Western Auto Supply Company here, returned from a meeting of branch managers held by the company at the home office in Los Angeles. Haskins declared that the managers of ninety-one stores of the company throughout the west, attended, and that it was one of the most wonderful meetings of the kind he had ever attended. Plans were outlined for the coming season, which promises to be one of the best in the company's history.

A. L. McMeans, head of the company bearing his name, who is Rollin dealer here, had a busy week at the San Francisco Automobile Show, where the new models attracted great attention. The new cars will be on display here within a day or two.

Most of the salesmen from Oakland were at the San Francisco Automobile Show some time during the week, and they sold many cars there, too. Thousands of Oakland residents visited the big display.

Charles S. Howard, Buick distributor, was a constant visitor at the show and enjoyed himself thoroughly. He had a busy time greeting his many friends. He is far more of a former than an automobile man now though, and takes a great interest in his big ranch near Willis.

Here's a record for the boys to shoot at, according to E. A. Hamlin, general manager of the firm of Hamlin & Wichman, Hudson and Essex dealers: Twenty-six cars delivered on Saturday, February 16. In this total twelve were used cars and the Essex Six and Hudson models. Essex Six carloads just can't come in fast enough for the salesmen to deliver.

C. S. Howard, head of the Howard Automobile Company, and C. S. Howard Jr. returned Monday from a ten days' trip to Los Angeles, where they attended the opening of the immense new building which now houses the Howard Automobile Company of Los Angeles.

Howard spent several evenings at the Buick booth in the auto show, personally meeting the scores of Buick dealers here to attend the show.

The reception which has been accorded the 1924 Buick line and particularly the welcome extended by San Franciscans to the two entirely new Buick models, the Country Club and the town car, was a source of considerable pleasure to him. Comments seem equally divided as to which is the more handsome car.

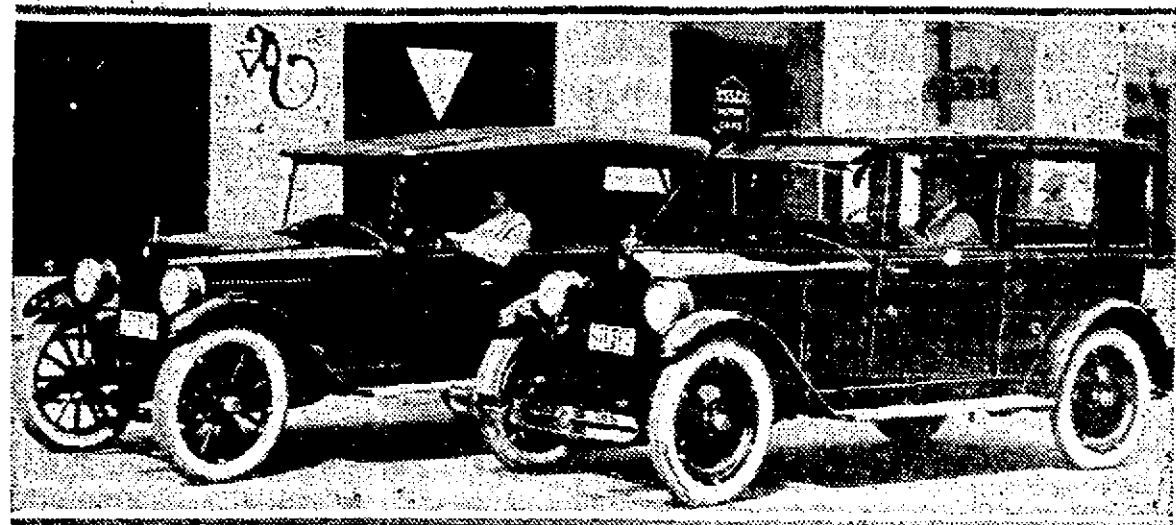
"Buy now—buy now" is the warning of Ed Wells of the Studebaker firm here. Wells states that with the positively wonderful weather that the Eastbay has been enjoying in the past weeks the stimulation to buy is great. To prevent a drastic shortage, he expects people to see models while the getting is good.

Gartford have taken to the milk business, according to W. C. Morse, agent here for that truck. Morse says that the businesses in which the Gartford is not a haulage fixture are few.

Accord the honor of being the best dressed salesman at the San Francisco Automobile Show to Harold Danforth, the debonair salesman of the Howard Automobile company. Every afternoon Harold was toggled out in an entirely new 1924 outfit, which constitutes the law in modern fashion. Coworkers on the Buick staff are sometimes envious of Harold's wardrobe.

Sales Records Grow Rapidly.

Two of the Essex six cylinder cars, delivered from the main store of Hamlin & Wichman, Hudson and Essex dealers. The firm established a record for their own organization with twenty-six cars delivered in one day this month.



New Factory Building.

The new home of the Progressive Plating and Enameling Works, in Oakland. They handle all sorts of plating work.



When using a hydrometer for battery test see that the float does not cling to the side of the glass tube. When taking reading also see that the rubber bulb is fully expanded and not indented, as otherwise suction would permit of an incorrect reading.

Will Travel For Wheel Corporation

E. W. ("Eddie") Griffith, who was sales manager of Forsyth Bros. Company and later with the

Motor Wheel Corporation after the latter took over the Forsyth concern, has joined the Wire Wheel Corporation forces and will travel out of the factory in the interests of the Buffalo disc wheel, the new product of the Wire Wheel Corporation.

CONVENIENCES ARE NUMEROUS IN LATEST MODEL

Improvements Begin With
Motor Which Combines
Speed and Power.

Numerous distinctive and exclusive features, conveniences that add materially not only to longer tours but to ordinary daily motoring as well, are found throughout the Peerless Eight models, according to N. H. Williams, manager of the Pioneer Motor Company, Peerless distributors.

As an example, a combination of decidedly novel abilities is found in the engine itself. It is an axiom of the automotive industry that an engine capable of delivering great speed on the straight stretches is not a good hill climber. Engineers, up to the advent of the present Peerless Eight, had never succeeded in designing an engine capable of doing both well. Yet, owners of the Peerless find that their cars possess both abilities to a marked degree, as well as being remarkably free from carbon formation.

The engine also contains two other unusual features. The intake header is heated directly from the exhaust to provide the heat necessary to vaporize gasoline properly. The amount of this exhaust heat can be adjusted easily to conform to varying climatic conditions. A second carburetor feature permits the introduction of practically raw gasoline to the cylinders when quick acceleration, as in traffic, may be necessary.

Chassis developments of advanced design are the torque arm, oiling system, key arrangement and the springs. The torque arm, with its forward connection of

Captain Rickenbacker a Visitor
CAPTAIN EDDIE RICKENBACKER, well-known motor car manufacturer, was the guest of R. W. Frisbie, of the Rickenbacker Company of Oakland last week. He came here to look over conditions in the automobile field and to visit the San Francisco automobile show.



INNOVATION IN BODY BUILDING DEMONSTRATED

Fabric As Used For Cars
Claimed to Add to Power
By Lightness.

An innovation in body building is demonstrated at the automobile show which opened last night. The car is a Peerless, equipped with J. Meritas made fabric body.

J. W. Gotwals, manager of the Textile Products company of California, is the man who has arranged this unique display. The car is a standard Peerless chassis, but the body is built of Meritas.

The inventors claim that this type of fabric body eliminates vibration, and reduces the weight of the car, thus giving greater power, and making for longer life of the whole machine.

Another feature that is causing a great deal of comment is the permanency of the finish obtainable by using this new fabric for bodies.

"This new type body created a sensation at the New York and Chicago shows, and many orders were taken," states Gotwals.

"For many years automobile body manufacturers have been trying to reduce the weight of the bodies of cars, and have succeeded to a great extent."

"This new fabric body carries the weight reduction idea to an irreducible minimum, because no metal body could approach the fabric body in lightness."

Gotwals states that, processes are now being perfected to adapt this style of material to body building on a large scale, and that it is certain that many manufacturers will adopt the new system before long.

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waited for delivery.

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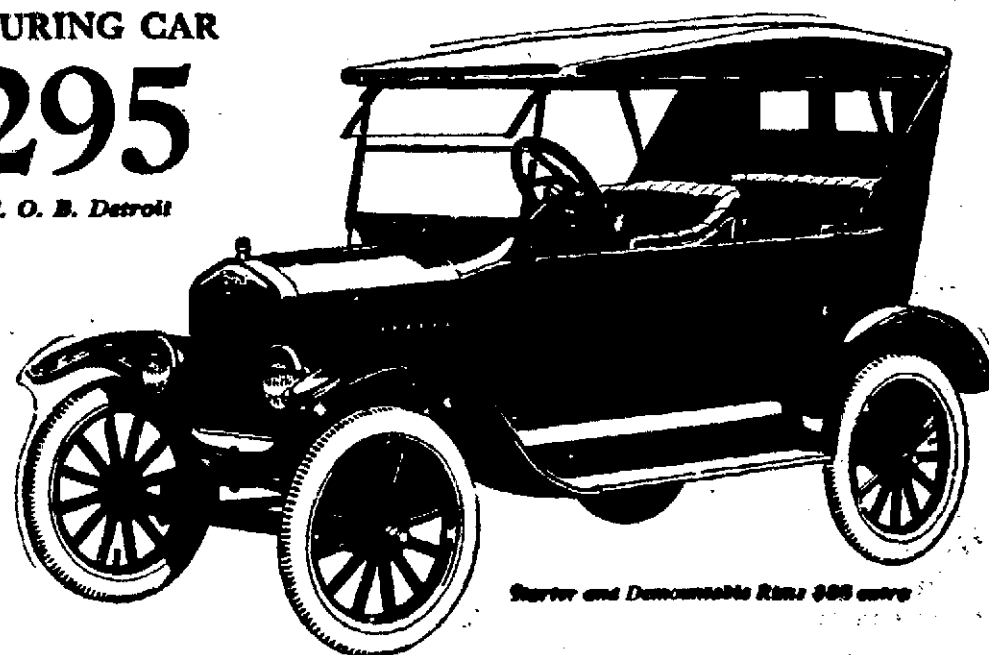
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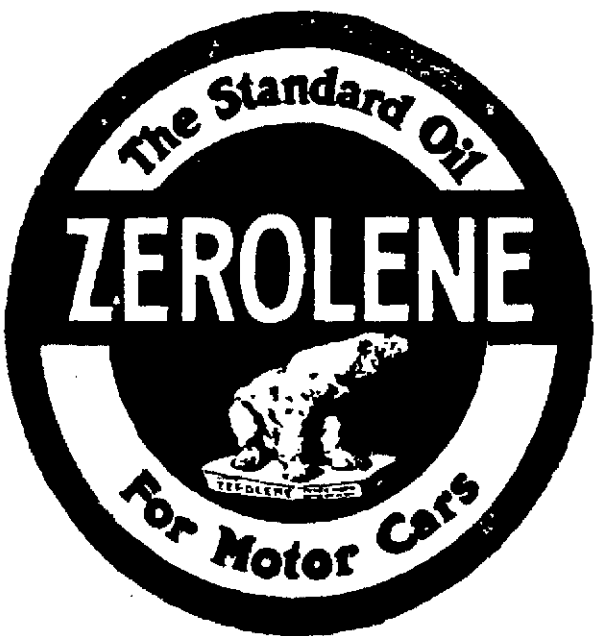
We believe that Zerolene "F" lubricates Fords better than they have ever been lubricated before—yet it costs not more but less than any of the special Ford oils now on the market.

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calls Progress in Motor
Building.

By R. H. SCOTT.

(President and General Manager of
the Reo Motor Car Company.)

Purely by coincidence, Reo Motor
Car Company embarks upon the
twentieth year of its existence with
the announcement that balloon
tires will be selective equipment on
all passenger models of the Reo
Six.

Thus the company again draws
attention to its record in pioneering
developments which at the time of
announcement have seemed radical
because they were in general use.
Reo has been testing balloon
tires for many months, in its labora-
tories, on its test cars and with
tire manufacturers. Data and
facilities Reo accumulated when it
pioneered automatic tires for
trucks in 1915 have been used in
many of the tests.

STORY OF FAITH.

Back of many automobile fea-
tures so commonly used now as to
be taken for granted lies the story
of pioneer faith and reasoned
judgment of the men who have
guided Reo through twenty years.

Contributing consistently toward
the permanent betterment of its
product and all others in
general, Reo has enhanced its
reputation for progressive engi-
neering. In the same measure it
has built up an experimental de-
partment and engineering organi-
zation virtually without parallel in
the industry.

This department functions as
fully to prevent mistakes as it does
to develop improvements.

Among the more common im-
provements which Reo pioneered
in the sense of either creating, de-
veloping or popularizing in the face
of contradicting practices, the fol-
lowing are interesting examples:

Before 1905 the two-piece radi-
ator, consisting of core and shell,
was almost unknown. Reo popu-
larized it.

LEFT-HAND DRIVE.
In 1909 Reo adopted left-hand
drive in the midst of a controversy
throughout the industry concerning
its suitability for American road
rules.

In the same year Reo adopted
the dry disc clutch as standard
equipment and has since watched
its general use by the industry.
Dual foot control was also made
standard with Reo that year; it is
still used.

In 1911 Reo pioneered the center
control.
At a time when electric starting
and lighting systems were little
more than a curiosity, in 1913 Reo
adopted both as standard equip-
ment and did much to prove their
necessity on vehicles of all classes.

Reo pioneered pneumatic tires
for trucks by fitting them regularly
to the Speed Wagon in 1915. By
adding electric starter and lights, it
became first to make this equip-
ment standard on strictly commer-
cial vehicles.

In that year it also introduced
on its cars the oval-rube radiator,
transmission speedometer, success-
ful use of lyrite or aluminum alloy
gaskets.

Reo is largely responsible for the
general use of the spiral bevel gear
axle also.

There are many other features,
some of major importance in the
chassis and others related to shop
practices, which have helped the
industry at large fully as much as
Reo alone. Ample returns from its
investment in broad-visioned en-
gineering are being enjoyed by Reo
today in the form of remarkable
public confidence and stability of
dealer connection.

STATE TAGS HELP IN AVOIDING WOES

"Few people realize the impor-
tance of properly procuring the
certificates of legal ownership is-
sued this year by the Division of
Motor Vehicles," says George S.
Grant, manager of the touring bu-
reau of the California State Auto-
mobile Association.

"A proper understanding of what
to do with this certificate will save
automobile owners a great deal of
trouble and grief if they want to
transfer the ownership of the car
during the coming year," Grant
said yesterday.

"In effect the new California Ve-
hicle Act now provides for title
registration," Grant said. "Instead
of issuing one certificate of regis-
tration this year, the new law re-
quires the Division of Motor Ve-
hicles to issue two. One shows the
registered ownership of the car
and the other shows the legal own-
ership."

"If the legal owner and the regis-
tered owner are different persons,
one certificate will be sent to each.
If the registered owner has a clear
title to his car he will receive both
certificates."

"The certificate of registration
should be placed in the container
in the front compartment of the
car as usual, but a safe deposit
vault or your strong box is the
proper place for the certificate of
legal ownership. It is the actual
title to the ownership of the car
and without it the car can not be
transferred."

"In case the legal certificate is
lost the Division of Motor Ve-
hicles will require that a surety
bond covering the present value of
the car be posted for the re-
mainder of the year before a du-
plicate will be issued."

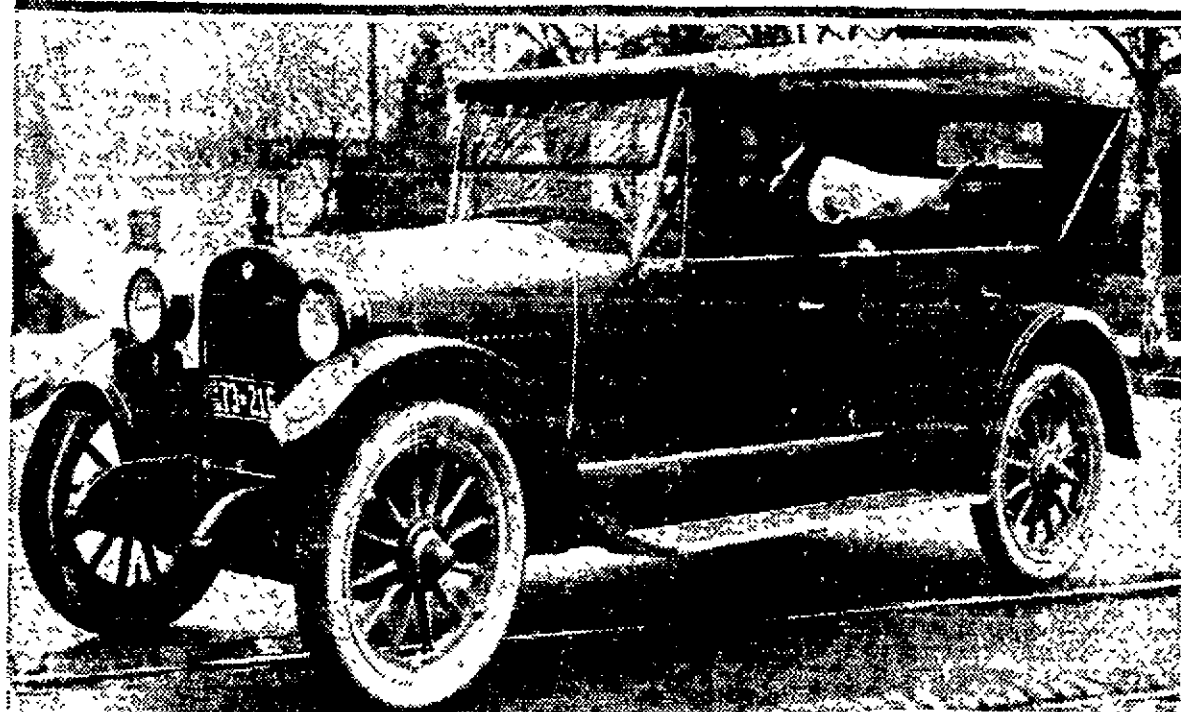
"This is an anti-theft provision
and if you properly guard your
certificate of legal ownership it will
be impossible for your car to be
re-registered by another person in
case it is stolen."

New Auto Official Named for Chicago

Another addition to the staff of
the National Automobile Chamber
of Commerce was made last week
in the appointment of L. W. Wooten
Schmidt as district representative
in the Chicago territory. Schmidt
will make investigations for the in-
dustry on economic and market
conditions. The new appointee was
formerly assistant manager of the
field department of the Chamber of
Commerce of the United States and
was educated at Allegheny College.

Too Few Use Signals For Stop, Turn

A Reo car from the Reo Motor Car Company of California, showing the legal stop and turn signals prescribed by the state law. Arm extended horizontally means left turn; arm extended upward means right turn, and arm extended downward means stop or slow. Learn these and use them—it may avoid a bad accident.



COLORED ENAMEL FOR CAR POSSIBLE BY NEW PROCESS

Black Finish Used Because
Only One Known, Auto-
mobile Man Declares.

Automobile bodies enameled in
colors, with all the resultant gloss
and long-wearing qualities charac-
teristic of the common black
enamel finish, are now for the first
time made possible through the
perfection of a new process by the
Olds Motor Works, Lansing, Mich.
The announcement of this im-
portant and advanced step in auto-
mobile manufacture was not made
public by the Olds Motor Works
until the success of the process had
been assured. This followed several
years of experiments and
months of testing for several
months past Oldsmobile sport tour-
ing cars have been finished in
weathered-bronze green, baked
enamel, states H. G. Markham,
Olds dealer here.

"Black has maintained its place
as the standard color for automo-
biles only because it could be baked
on cheaply and quickly. The same
enamel with color ingredients
added would come out smoked and
streaky after being exposed to the
excessive temperatures of the bak-
ing ovens. The only method of
body finishing that would give a
glossy finish in colors was the ordi-
nary and familiar one of paint and
varnish—a long and relatively ex-
pensive procedure."

"Development of colored
enamels that will withstand the
heat of baking ovens has caused
a revolution of thought and beliefs
in the paint industry. At the be-
ginning of the development, when
officials of the Olds Motor Works
made known their wants, both
paint and varnish makers said it
could not be done and it could not
with the materials and ideas then
in use. But constant experimen-
tation along new lines, and finally the
trying out of China wood oil, or
Tung oil, made success possible."

"The new color enamel itself is
somewhat more expensive than the
black, but the difference in price is
not sufficiently great that the
quantity used on one automobile
body is reflected in the selling
price of the finished car."

"Compared to the ordinary paint
and varnish finishes, the colored
enamel process has many points in
its favor. It requires only nine
hours to completely finish a body
by the new process, whereas the
shortest time possible with a paint
and varnish job is ten days. It can
be readily seen that great savings
are effected. Much less floor space
is, of course, required, materially
reducing cost of handling."

"Colored enamel is also a great
improvement over black enamel
for the reason that it is more elas-
tic and therefore less liable to in-
jury. Ordinary scratches can be
removed by rubbing without the
necessity of re-ensemeling. It also
is superior to paint and varnish, as
it cannot craze or crack as does
the harder surface, yet at the same
time has a lustrous finish."

66,054 Tourist Permits Issued

All the World Represented in List

Following is a tabulation of the tourist permits issued since 1920 by
the California Division of Motor Vehicles:

State	1920	1921	1922	1923
Alabama	6	12	14	58
Arizona	28	2925	1925	4530
Arkansas	1	44	132	394
California	1225	1400	1750	3763
Connecticut	88	88	122	263
Delaware	5	5	5	11
Dist. of Columbia	17	12	22	44
Florida	28	88	132	263
Georgia	1	44	132	88
Idaho	370	525	875	1325
Illinois	1050	962	1125	2025
Indiana	350	350	525	1125
Iowa	875	700	875	2301
Kansas	875	700	875	2301
Kentucky	44	44	88	132
Louisiana	44	44	88	132
Maine	44	44	88	132
Maryland	44	44	88	132
Massachusetts	263	219	219	611
Michigan	1050	744	788	2713
Minnesota	325	354	615	1050
Mississippi	88	11	44	132
Missouri	525	615	788	1568
Montana	350	350	725	1400
Nebraska	325	438	700	1575
Nevada	615	788	963	1485
New Hampshire	12	15	44	132
New Jersey	88	132	219	475
New Mexico	175	263	263	788
New York	425	525	615	1400
N. Carolina	3	12	13	44
N. Dakota	58	132	175	612
Ohio	525	615	773	1825
Oklahoma	507	482	769	2470
Oregon	1400	2275	3117	7550
Pennsylvania	263	288	394	675
Rhode Island	21	44	44	132
S. Carolina	2	2	8	15
S. Dakota	263	219	307	700
Tennessee	18	21	44	175
Texas	657	1050	1713	4323
Utah	438	525	700	1485
Vermont	12	12	44	88
Virginia	29	44	88	182
Washington	2100	2713	4550	8878
West Virginia	18	12	20	132
Wisconsin	507	263	394	875
Wyoming	102	219	359	788
Alaska	5	7	7	9
Baja Calif.	2	2	1	1
Canada	88	175	330	875
Australia	1	1	1	1
China	1	1	1	1
Hawaii	1775	132	132	175
Italy	1	1	1	1
Japan	1	1	1	1
Mexico	1	44	44	132
Philippines	1	6	14	7
Portugal	1	1	1	1
New Zealand	1	1	1	1
Sweden	1	1	1	1
Switzerland	1	1	1	1
Guant.	1	1	1	1
Totals	17611	20725	28300	66054

AUTO COMPANY'S JOBS INHERITED IN FIRM FACTORY

Some of Employees' Families
Being Represented
for 36 Years.

A Cadillac family of craftsmen,
with sons following their fathers
into the organization, is a well-re-
cognized institution in the factory of
the Cadillac Motor Car Company,
according to Charles M. Carson,
Cadillac industrial manager.

"In many cases," states Carson,
"craftsmen who have been with the
organization fifteen to eighteen
years bring the younger generation
to our factory, and we welcome
them. We realize that the same
characteristics of skill and depend-
ability which made their fathers
valuable will, in all probability, be
expressed by them and that they
will uphold the Cadillac standard
of craftsmanship."

"In one representative family,"
Carson states, "36 years of service
is represented by a father and his
sons. There are also a number of
sons where a father and his two
sons are employed in the plant."

Believing that the quality of a
car can be no better than the abili-
ty of the men who produce it,
Carson revealed many well-devel-
oped plans by which the Cadillac
company attracts and holds work-
ers of the highest grade.

"Of the 8000 men employed by
the Cadillac company," continues
Carson, "more than 1450 have been
with the company for five years,
more than 200 over ten years, and
106 others who had more than five
years with the company and left.
We are now back in our employ. There
are 105 fifteen-year men, 17 who
have been with the company for
more than 20 years and three men
for 25 years."

"The same characteristics of soli-
darity seen in the factory working
force also pervade the Cadillac dis-
tributor organization. The great
majority of the distributors, who are
rapidly growing dealer organiza-
tions, have been with the company
for 15 years, some of them for 30
years and the president himself
sold cars of the first model pro-
duced by the company 21 years
ago."

SEIBEL AIR SPRINGS

Specially adapted to Automobile, Motor Truck, Motor-
cycle, Tractor and Vehicle seats of all descriptions.

YOU NEVER FEEL A JOLT OR BUMP!

The Seibel Air Spring eliminates the present metal spring and the use of shock absorbers. Its application is universal wherever spring action or suspension is necessary.

The Seibel Air Spring consists of an inner tube, within a fabricated rubber cushion and a metal casing; a metal deformer at the bottom serves to fold the casing walls inwardly without any crumpling, and in such a way as to get the maximum wear from the casing. According to the weight placed upon the top of the metal casing, the inner tube is filled with air to carry the pressure. The air is necessary for two purposes; first, to carry any weight, and second, to absorb all the shocks, jolts and vibrations.

Motorcycle Saddle and Sidecar Equipped with the Seibel Air Spring

Motorcycle riders have long been looking for a saddle which would isolate the rider against vibrations and thereby eliminate the fatigue which comes from a long ride. Various attempts have been made to eliminate it, but as all appliances were heretofore made out of steel



On Motorcycle

springs, it was impossible to absorb the vibrations created through road travel. Air is the only medium known to absorb shock and vibration when harnessed in a flexible casing (see pneumatic tire). The SEIBEL AIR SPRING is built like a tire, works like a tire. It gives comfort to the rider and eliminates the tired feeling of a long ride. Try one and be convinced.

SEATS

For Tractors, Trucks, Locomotive Engineers and Fire-
men, Motormen and Conductors on Street Cars



SEAT

It is a well established fact that the men employed on motor-driven vehicles are all suffering from the jabs and vibration. The Hospitalization Fund for the Railroad Locomotive Engineers and Firemen proves this. Motormen and Conductors on street cars are suffering greatly from the vibrations and jabs which they are subjected to. Truck and Tractor Drivers all know that their health is greatly impaired through the roadshocks and vibrations which they are subjected to. The Seibel Air Spring will protect them against these ill effects, as it protects them against vibration and thereby not only improves their health, but enables them to do a better day's work, and thereby the Seibel Air Spring becomes a factor of Economy. The less tired the operator of a vehicle is, the more efficient he will be. Try one and be convinced. Thousands of references in our office.

MOTORMAN'S SEAT

A ride in the Peninsula Rapid Transit Co.'s bus equipped with Seibel Air Spring Seats will convince the most skeptical that they will do all we claim for them.

Other Uses

The Seibel Air Spring Seat will replace the present upholstered seats in Automobiles, Street and Railroad car seats, Steamer and Office Chairs; in fact, wherever a comfortable seat is wanted.

Ask for a Demonstration

Seibel Air Spring Co., Inc.

1906 Humboldt Street, Oakland, Cal.

Get the Thrill of this Power

A big, virile engine to send you sweeping up-hill---big, sure brakes to ease you downhill---patented Triplex Springs to melt the bumps away! One hour's drive is fifty minutes more than are needed to open your eyes to the bigger Overland power, sturdier construction, and greater comfort. An hour's drive---or more if you like---is yours for the asking. Overland itself will show you why folks call it the most automobile in the world for the money! Champion \$865; Sedan \$975, delivered here.

Overland
Touring \$635
DELIVERED HERE

BELL & BOYD

(THREE STORES)

Broadway at Twenty-ninth

6246 College Avenue—4028 East Fourteenth St.

BIG NEW FORD DETROIT PLANT IN OPERATION

Language affords only superlatives with which to describe the River-Rogue plant of the Ford Motor Company which today rears its lofty smokestacks and towering tanks, mammoth storage bins, huge covered conveyors and broad roofs covering a plant area of 1100 acres along the banks of the stream for which it is named where half a dozen years ago there was only windswept prairie and swamp land.

The River Rogue plant stands alone, comparable to no other monument to human ingenuity and perseverance that the world has thus far seen. It can only be said that this thing is the largest in the world, for there is nothing like this plant anywhere, and today it is only half completed.

The world's largest electric steel furnace, having a capacity of fifty tons is the latest achievement at the River. It stands beside the foundations for a second one which is to be built shortly, and close by two ten-ton electric steel furnaces. These, combined with the two giant 600-ton blast furnaces, each capable of delivering 600 tons of foundry iron per day, form a foundry unit such as has never been seen before in combination in a single plant.

DREAM OF YEARS COMES TRUE
With such equipment, the metallurgists have made their dream of fifty years come true. Here molten iron is run directly from the furnaces into molds eliminating the costly and costly step of casting first into pigs and remelting. This new process, successfully evolved at the River Rouge plant after more than half a century of experimentation, has given to Ford products tough, high silicon light web castings at a considerably lowered production cost.

The Rouge power plant, even now a marvel, will when completed, have a total electrical capacity of 240,000 kilowatts, generated at 13,200 volts by eight turbo-generators. These units have been designed by Ford engineers and the first is now 85 per cent complete, having been built from the start by Ford workmen in Ford shops.

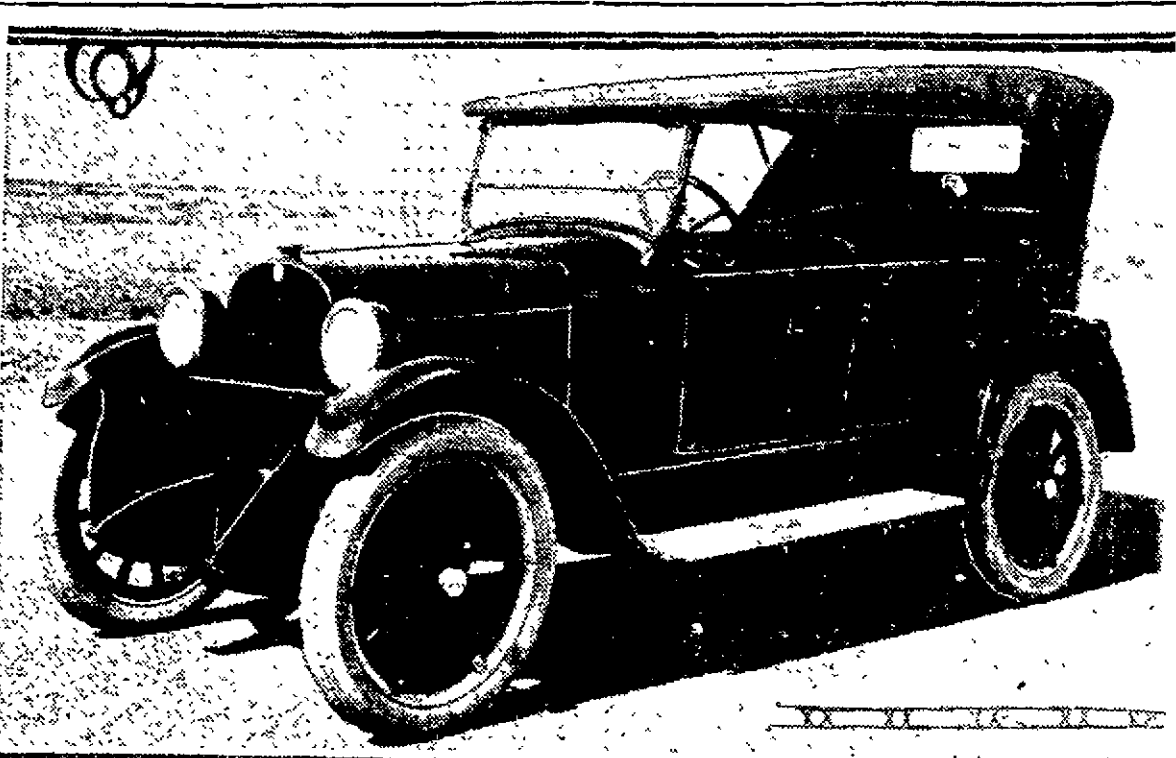
REPAIR SHOP FOR ENGINES.
There is a locomotive repair shop, where engines of the Ford railroad, the D. T. & L. are serviced, and which is equipped to build new locomotives. This plant is now being enlarged to include a car building shop.

Probably no feature of the River Rouge plant is more interesting than the amazing economies that have been effected there. Starting with a sintering plant which recycles blast furnace dust, reclamation features follow every operation. The sintering plant, recently placed in operation, is at work on the task of converting a mountain of 50,000 tons of blast furnace dust into iron. The dust, half iron ore and half pulverized coke, is the collection of three years having been blown out from the blast furnaces at the rate of from twenty to twenty-five tons per day.

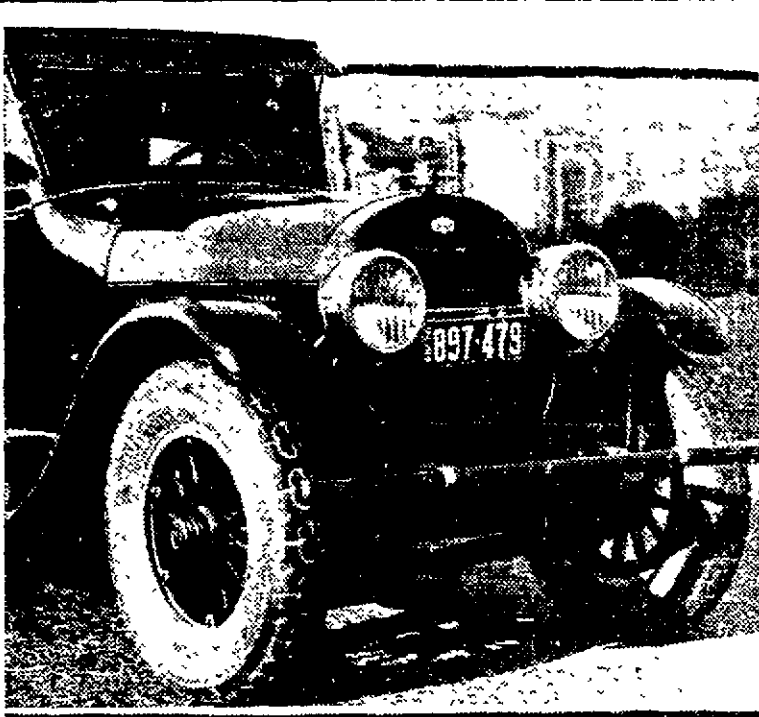
Soft coal brought in on the Ford railroad from Ford mines in West Virginia and Kentucky, is pulverized and sent to the battery of 120 coke ovens, the production of which, under eighteen hours of cooking time, is 2000 tons of coke per day.

Vapors from the coke oven are led through an elaborate system of towers, tanks, centrifugal stills, scrubbers and condensers conserving 26,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day, 15,000 gallons of benzol, 1,000,000 pounds of ammonium sulphate, 17,800 pounds of tar and 4500 gallons of refined oil. All of these products with the exception of the

Touring Cars Always in Demand
One of the new Dodge Brothers models which is a feature of the J. E. French Company exhibit at the San Francisco automobile show this week.



Balloon Tires Prove Popular
General cord balloon tires, on a Lincoln car. The tires were supplied by McCoy-Staley Company, general tire distributors.



ammonium sulphate which is sold as fertilizer, and the benzol sold in Detroit as motor fuel, are turned back into the Ford industry for use in various stages of automobile making.

CEMENT PLANT SOON RUNNING.
A cement plant, now in the course of construction, will soon be operating, converting slag from the blast furnaces into cement at the rate of 1000 barrels per day.

A glass plant, with a capacity of 10,000,000 square feet a year, recently began operations making plate by the Ford method, a process new to the glass making industry.

A paper mill, manufacturing a high grade binder-board from hardwood scraps, has established another industrial precedent. This is the first plant that ever succeeded in turning out paper-plug from hardwood by the soda process.

Great Lakes ore steamers now deliver their cargo at the River Rouge for the first time this year, tying up at the plant beneath discharging machinery that removed ore from the Ford mines at the rate of 500 tons per hour. Smaller freighters put in laden with lumber from the Ford sawmill at Iron Mountain, Michigan.

A complete conveyor system uniting all parts of this super-giant of the world's gigantic enterprises is so synchronized that just enough time is allowed for each of a thousand different operations and human exertion is reduced practically to zero. This, combined with fifty miles of railroad and eight miles of roadways within the gates, forms a communication system more elaborate than ever undertaken in industry before.

The amazing skill with which the numerous plants of this vast manufacturing community are dovetailed with one another, the ambition of waste, the utmost economy of by-products, all contribute not only to the greatest industrial unit of the earth, but to high quality Ford products at low prices.

DOCTOR RECALLS ROUGHER RIDING

Now that balloon tires hold the spotlight it might be well to go back over the years when the ride did not ride so well and roads were anything but the smooth-surfaced highways of today. There is no one in Alameda county better qualified to take you back over the bumpy early days than Dr. Austin Clark, who was one of the first two automobile owners in this county. Since then he has owned more than twenty different cars and has driven hundreds of thousands of miles.

In the first years of motoring it was a case of taking along a machine shop, plenty of wire and all the tires one could find room for. Goggles and walking clothes and plenty of hard work completed the equipment for a day's ride. Even under these handicaps, when compared to modern motoring, the automobile was a great improvement over other means of transportation.

Then if a driver got 1000 miles of service out of a tire he considered himself a fortunate individual. Tires carried an inflation of from 30 to 35 pounds which had to be made by use of the old hand pump. They were pumped up to this high pressure and also rode very hard. "There is quite a difference between these hard-riding tires when compared to the modern large, low-inflation balloon tires," said Dr. Clark, who has just had his Lincoln sedan equipped with General cord balloon tires by McCoy-Staley Company.

"Punctures are now almost a thing of the past and blowouts are gone forever. Now I wonder how much longer balloon tires will prolong the life of the car, as the road shocks are absorbed by the tire before they can even reach the hub of the wheel."

Engine missing is often caused by water in the radiator.

PRODUCTION FOR 1924 FORECAST AT 300,000 CARS

Announcement by President John N. Willys for the Willys-Overland company, of the production of more than 300,000 cars on December 15, capped the climax of the most remarkable year that Willys-Overland has had, a year replete with sensational success that has returned this organization to its place far in the forefront among the leaders of the motor car industry.

Willys coupled this announcement with the statement that Willys-Overland expects to break every one of its 1923 records in 1924 with a production which at present indicates a probable sale of 300,000 cars.

Willys-Overland created the first of its series of unusual announcements in 1923 with the appearance of its new Willys-Knight coupe-sedan at the New York show.

The enthusiasm which this car occasioned here was duplicated at every motor display throughout the country and in every Willys-Overland dealer's show room, with the result that within 30 days after its announcement almost every possible motor car purchaser in the larger cities of the country had inspected this unusual model.

The new product was a novelty in automobile manufacture—not a coupe, not a sedan, not a coach—but a distinctly original and individual creation in motor car design, the first of a series of refreshingly new departures which marked Willys-Overland's career for the past 12 months.

RED BIRD ANOTHER SUCCESS.
Another important message was sent forth early in the spring—the new Overland Red Bird, a novel creation in Mandarlin maroon and glistening nickel, set off with khaki-colored top and extra equipment.

A totally new price class. Its success was instantaneous and country-wide. This was in a limited measure duplicated in the Willys-Knight line by the building of the Country Club model, a handsome touring car in Cavalier maroon also specially equipped. Both of these cars filled a long-felt want for novelty that appealed to the buyers of the so-called "sport" types.

Shortly after the original announcement the Red Bird was further stressed by an entire month's demonstration and display, and greatly increased its popularity.

AND THEN THE CHAMPION.
But the height of motoring utility was reached in mid-fall by the announcement of the new Overland Champion, a closed car of unique design, actually introducing to the public something radically fresh, said to be the most divergently useful car so far brought out—the first standard closed car seating more than two passengers for less than \$700.

The car seemed to sweep the country; enthusiasm and sales of this single model being greater than of any other new car within a similar period, following its original announcement.

Gear case grease should not be too stiff. It should flow between the teeth of the gears freely. For this reason a lighter grade of lubricant should be used during cold weather.

PACIFIC EXHIBIT RECOGNIZED AS GREAT AUTO SHOW

The San Francisco auto show has become a matter of pride to bay city residents as well as automobile dealers, and some day it will in all probability be ranked by the manufacturers as one of equal importance with the New York and Chicago annual shows.

Dodge Brothers factory executives have decided not to wait for that "some day," whether it is close at hand or far in the future. Believing that if a thing is worth doing it is worth doing now, they have made the 1924 annual Pacific auto show of equal importance with the two older shows, at least so far as the exhibition of their product and their dealer meetings are concerned. Thus they became the first manufacturers to show here in a national way.

As long ago as last November, Dodge Brothers factory executives had made their decision that San Francisco was one of the strategic points in national distribution and that it was entitled to consideration as such in the recognition of its annual automobile show.

It was announced to the dealers at that time that Dodge Brothers had embarked on a new policy, with respect to their annual dealer meetings, and instead of holding two, as had been their policy—as well as that of other manufacturers—they would now hold three meetings, the third of which was to be at San Francisco. Dealers throughout the country were advised to make their plans at that time to attend one of these meetings.

As a result of that announcement, fully 300 Dodge Brothers dealers in the western part of the country are in attendance at the San Francisco show.

A score of factory executives, headed by John A. Nichols, Jr., general sales manager, will be housed at the Fairmount hotel, where they will maintain regular office hours, supplying information and answering questions of the dealers, that may rightfully come before the heads of each separate department.

At their headquarters in the Terrace room at the Fairmount, there will be on exhibition a miniature

AVERAGE MAN OWNS AUTO, NOT "SUNDAY SUIT"

According to a nationwide survey made by the National Association of Retail Clothiers, the average man no longer has a "Sunday suit of clothes," but he owns an automobile, or is buying one on the installment plan. A large store in one New York state district put on a campaign which in other years had produced sales of 150 suits and overcoats, but the result this year was the sale of 17 suits and overcoats, while across the street on the same day 25 automobiles were sold.

model of the Dodge Brothers factory at Detroit, so that the manufacturing procedure can be better explained. So carefully is this part of the program worked out that it is said this one feature alone is equal to a trip to the factory in its educational work.

At the Dodge Brothers' booth at the auto show in the Auditorium, there is a cut-out chassis with a factory engineer in attendance to explain the workings and features of Dodge Brothers cars.

In addition to the cut-out chassis, another feature is the initial appearance of the new Dodge Brothers four-passenger coupe, which created such a furore at the New York show, going from there to Chicago. These are a special touring, a special roadster, special type "A" sedan and special four-passenger coupe.

Due to lack of space at the local show the latter four cars are displayed during the week at the sales floor of the J. E. French company, local dealers for the time. Numbered among the factory executives who are here for the auto show are John A. Nichols, Jr., general sales manager; Charles Jennings, assistant general sales manager; George Harrison Phelps, advertising counsel; Russell Huff, chief engineer; P. G. Findley, director of traffic; R. J. Fry, assistant secretary; H. New, assistant director of distribution; P. H. Akers, commercial car division; F. C. Boston, systems division; F. B. Walker, W. H. Duval, W. J. Case and a number of assistants.

Rubber Manufacturer Takes Short Vacation

W. O. Rutherford, vice president of the B. F. Goodrich Co., is on a brief vacation in Bermuda. Rutherford is president of the Motor and Accessory Manufacturers Association.

TAXICAB MOTOR MEETS GRILLING TEST IN SERVICE

Announcement has just been made by the Reo Motor Car Company that the Reo High Power Six Cylinder engine will be used in the Reo taxicab in the future. The adoption of the six-cylinder engine for the taxicab has been urged by taxicab operators for some time.

According to J. J. Davis, manager of the Oakland house of the Reo Motor Car Company of California, this change is being made after months of practical tests of the taxicab equipped with the six cylinder engine. A group of selected taxicab operators were supplied with T-6 powered cabs with instructions to give them the hardest service to be found in their business. In this way the adaptability of the motor to the taxicab was actually proved.

"The operators who had experimental cars in their service kept very close check on costs as well as on mechanical accomplishments," said Davis. "All of them are said to be enthusiastically in favor of the six cylinder engine for taxicabs."

Now chassis some time ago secured a leading among car operators toward a six cylinder engine which would combine the flexibility of the six with the ruggedness and dependability which are paramount in the operation of public carriers. These requirements seem to fit perfectly the T-6 engine and for this reason it was decided to try out in practice the idea that had seemed plausible in theory—that the Reo six cylinder motor is very well suited for taxicab use," Davis concluded.

That the experimental taxicabs bore out the idea of the officials is testified to by the recent announcement. In actual operation the six cylinder of dependable manufacture is preferable to and more satisfactory than the 4-cylinder engine of equally dependable make, Davis pointed out.

The T-6 engine has proved itself beyond any doubt in several seasons in which it has been standard for the entire Reo passenger line, experts declare.

MOTOR CLUBS OF CANADA JOIN WITH AMERICAN

The British Columbia Automobile Association, with a membership of 2000 is the latest Canadian motoring organization to become actively affiliated with the American Automobile Association. A. A. service is now available throughout Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The New Brunswick Automobile Association of St. John, N. B., has been a member of the A. A. for a number of years. Reciprocal arrangements have been made between the Ontario Motor League of Toronto and the A. A. A.

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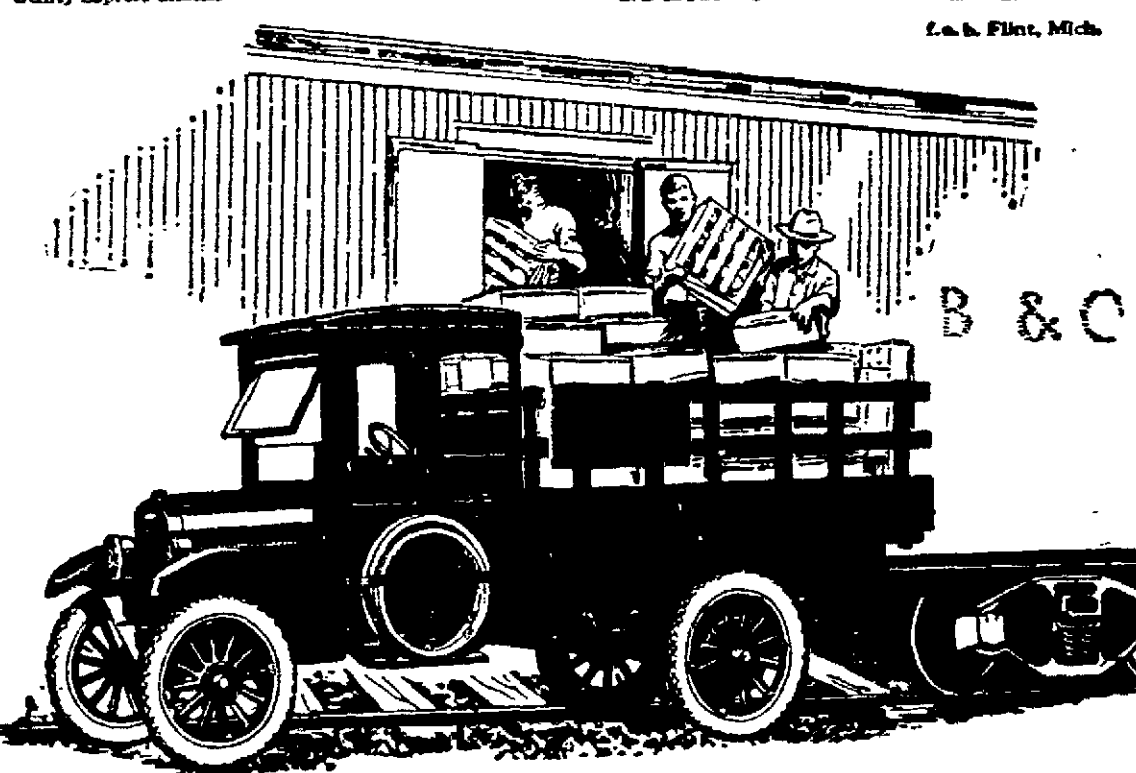
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OLD TOP TYPES ABANDONED BY MOTOR BUILDERS

Cars Are Now Being Built
With Permanent Over-
head Protection.

After more than a quarter of a century of advancement, the automobile industry now is discarding the last of the old traditions of the horse and carriage days. These traditions emeshed the industry from its beginning and for years were of great influence in the designing of motor cars. The "buggy top" which could be raised and lowered, prevailed on all open model cars until late in 1923 when the Oakland Motor Car company introduced its new 1924 open model with permanent top.

It is not surprising that the first automobiles built were the standard type of horse drawn vehicle with an engine placed in it and only such changes made as were demanded by a self-propelled carriage. At that time the pioneers in the industry had ample opposition without adding a revolutionary change in design to their troubles. But as the automobile came into public favor and advanced mechanically, the design continued to follow along the lines fixed by carriage builders for years.

In the last decade, however, virtually every reminder of the old horse drawn buggy has been removed from automobile design, except the adjustable top. This top was all right in the days when Silas took Mandy for a Sunday afternoon ride behind Dobbin. If it did not rain and the sun was not too hot, they would put the top down; so they could say "howdy" to their friends as the carriage jogged along. And letting down the top decreased the wind resistance when Silas chirruped "Giddyup" to Dobbin for a brush with a friend or rival.

This same practice was followed by the early automobilist at the time when linen dusters and big veils were the accepted automobile costume. But in more recent years the lowering of automobile tops has gradually ceased, so much in fact that many of the automobiles of today, while they have tops that could be lowered, have no holders to sustain the tops if they were put down.

Recognizing this condition, the Oakland Motor Car company decided to abandon the adjustable top and give, instead, the advantages accruing from a permanent top. Foremost among these improvements is a better wearing top. The five bones used to support it rest evenly against the top material holding it in perfect shape without sags or wrinkles. The top is also held more firmly through its being fastened to a strip of steel along each side, and thus is better able to withstand the strain caused by the wind. Many potential squeaks also are eliminated by its firm fastening to the top of the windshield.

The steel bands along the side also form a stationary ledge against which the curtains snugly fit. This permits a wind and waterproof enclosure when the curtains are in place. As a further aid in this, the door curtains are held by U-shaped tension rods, which give them added strength and rigidity. An added benefit to the permanent top is the fact that the permanent top follows the natural contours of the body. There is no overhanging. Top lines blend gracefully into the natural body lines.

The permanent top plan also is a great aid in making open models "closed" cars during the winter months. A special glass enclosure is supplied by the Oakland company at a slight additional expense. This enclosure can be put on very quickly, and in no way does it change the appearance of the car when it is taken off. The glass in the enclosure is adjustable.

The inauguration of the permanent top is but the latest clear indication of the public trend toward closed or semi-closed models. Virtually all manufacturers this year have increased their schedules on closed cars, and it is expected in the industry, predict that within a comparatively short time the number of closed cars will exceed that of open models.

Business District Parking Is Doomed

In a report by a committee of the New York State Conference of Mayors in Albany recently it was stated that automobile parking in the city of New York is a menace to the steadily increasing fire hazard which such a practice involves. The report was based upon experience and a study of the departments of 140 American cities.

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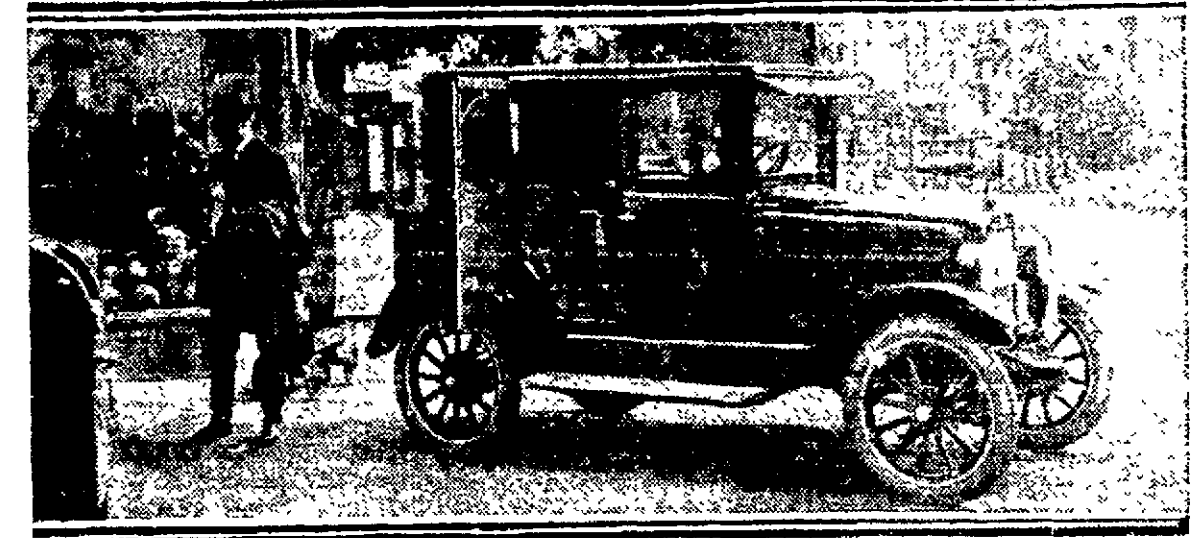
The truck body best suited to your business will be on that Garford Truck you order! Let us know the uses to which your truck will be put and a special body will be adapted or constructed.

W. C. Morse, 4270-76 Broadway
Southeast Corner from
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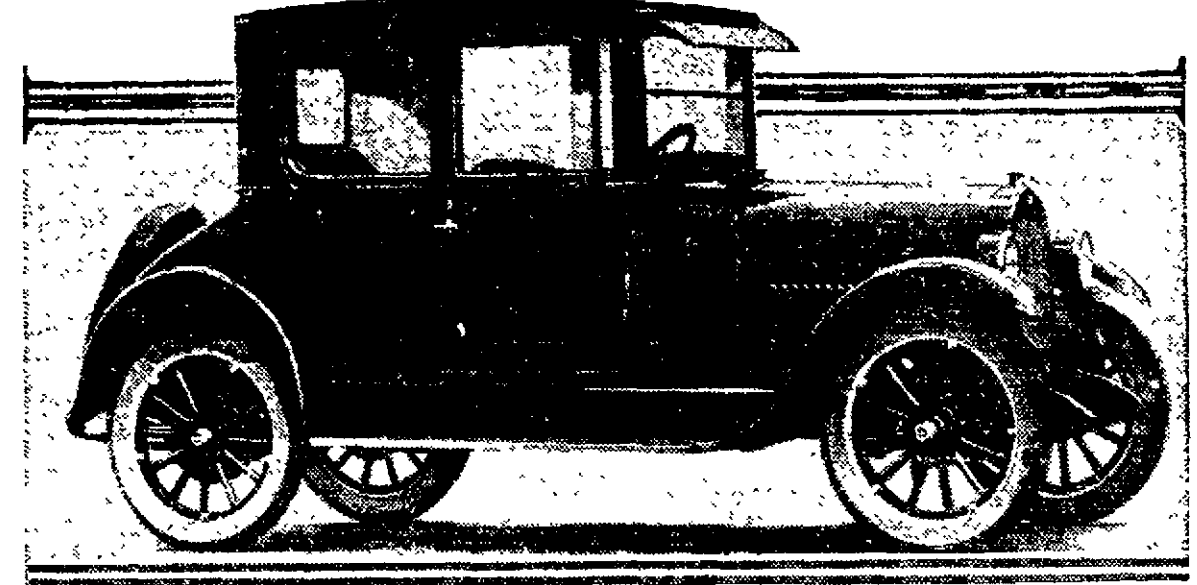
New Champion Well Received

The new Overland champion which was announced last Fall and which has proved a popular car.



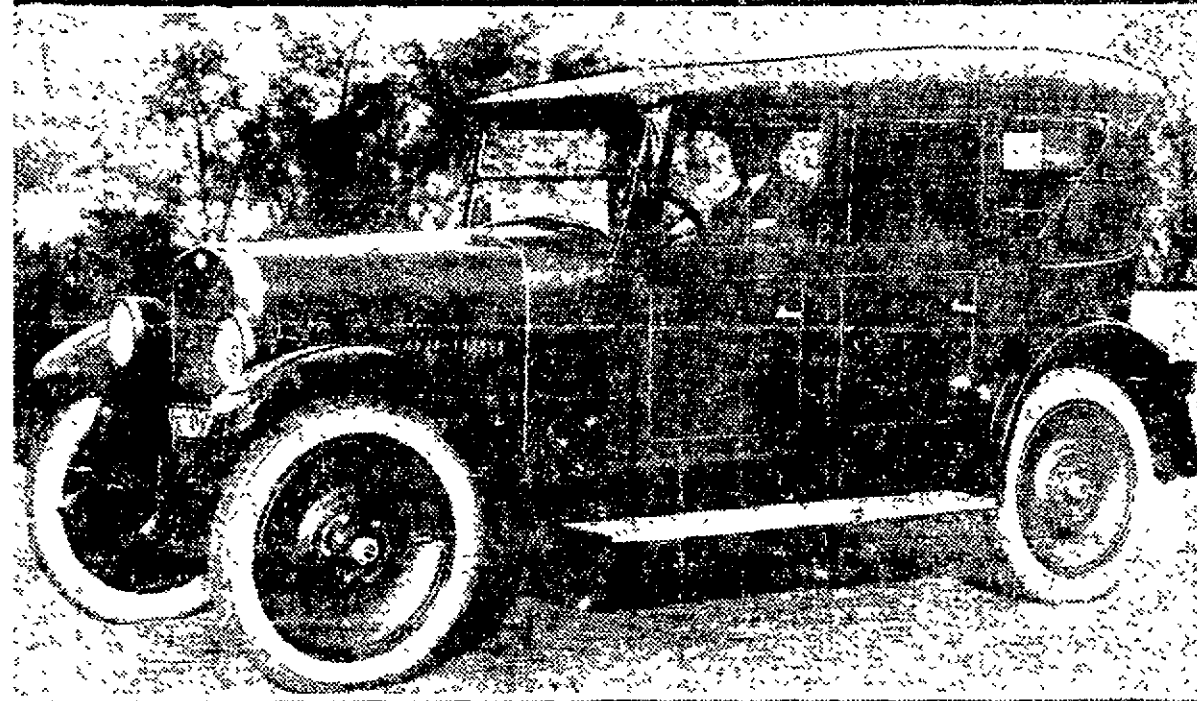
New Olds Coupe at the Auto Show

One of the offerings of the General Motors at the San Francisco show, an Oldsmobile coupe. The car is displayed here in the salesrooms of H. G. Markham and Company.



Special Top Features New Model

An Oakland six with a convertible top. The permanent top of the new model allows these side curtains to be fitted at small cost. The car is from the Purser Oakland Motor Company, dealers here.



NEW DEVICE FOR STEERING TRUCKS

In the truck division at the San Francisco auto show this new invention seems to have won the approval of the public. It is a new type of steering gear, called the "crankshaft" steering gear, which is installed in the International truck. To show how this crankshaft is set into the body of the truck, the International has placed a transparent plastic cover over the steering gear. The crankshaft is set into the body of the truck, and the steering gear is set into the crankshaft. This new device is a great improvement over the old steering gear, and it is expected that it will be widely adopted by truck manufacturers.

manufacturer has finally thought of their comfort. "Comfort and ease of driving are features of this steering gear," says Henry Girola. This is accomplished by giving the steering post enough rake or incline—not setting it in a vertical or nearly vertical position, with the wheel nearly up to the driver's shoulders. Operating a truck with the wheel in this position is very tiring. In addition, it is given the post by breaking it some distance below the wheel and connecting it up with a worm and gear to another shaft which is set in a vertical position.

What is said to be a new world's record for a 12-hour motorcycle race was recently made by Antonio Gaudin, an Argentine, in Buenos Aires. He covered 675 kilometers, or about 420 miles, in about 12 hours.

SALE EXTRAORDINARY

OF HIGH GRADE AUTOMOBILE SUPPLIES

In order to enable our friends and patrons to avail themselves of the opportunity to secure their spring requirements at the extraordinary low prices we have been offering we have decided to continue our sale one week longer. SATURDAY, MARCH 1st, is positively the last day of this sale. Remember that in addition to the specials shown in this ad our entire stock is included at sale prices.

CANTEEN SETS Modernized Emergency Kit \$2.50 Kilbourne & Bishop and Arrow Crescent Wrenches 50c 75c 1.00 Spark Plugs 50c Vacuum Bottles 40c 2-Bar Spring Bumper List Price \$12.50 DASH LAMPS 50c	TOOL BOX SPECIAL 1.95 OIL AND GREASE GUNS 50c SOCKET WRENCH SET 50c 2-Bar Spring Bumper Special, \$8.00 French Polish 95c	K. B. Stop Signal 2.15 Closed Car Mirrors 1.15 Brownie Windshield Wipers 2.95 SPARK PLUGS 40c SUPER GLCS Polish and Grease 1.25 FRENCH POLISH 95c
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Every Item in Our Large Stock Included in This Sale

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AUTO EXHIBITS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR 24 YEARS

Pioneer Firm Has Record of
Development Shown by
Annual Displays.

For the last twenty-four years the Olds Motor Works, Lansing, Mich., has been a steady exhibitor at the automobile shows. In fact, Oldsmobile started exhibiting with the first New York show in 1900 and has been occupying a prominent place every year since this first show. In January of 1900 the first automobile show was held in New York, at Madison Square Garden, and Oldsmobile was among the few exhibitors. This show was conducted by the Automobile Club of America and the National Association of Automobile Manufacturers. The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, which now conducts the so-called national shows in New York and Chicago, was also organized during the same year, but did not take over the management of the shows until several years later. In fact, this organization later absorbed the Manufacturer's Association and the Automobile Board of Trade.

ORGANIZATION OLDER. And while Oldsmobile was one of the pioneer exhibitors at the shows, the organization itself is older than either of the two national exhibitions, which have become an annual event in New York and Chicago. The history of Oldsmobile dates back to 1895 and production of the first car was actually started in 1897.

Following the organization of the New York show, the first of the country quickly followed, and by 1901 thirty-four cities were holding annual shows. Oldsmobile figured in all of them. In 1907 Oldsmobile turned out its first car. This ancient and valuable relic is now a permanent part of the historical exhibit at the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D. C.

Even as far back as the early part of this century Oldsmobile attracted world-wide attention, and the little curved dash Merry Oldsmobiles were bought by such noted figures as Mark Twain, Senator Chauncey M. Depew, Sir Thomas Lipton, the British yachtsman, and the queen of Italy and England.

In 1906 this company produced the first four-cylinder car ever offered the public and it created a sensation. In 1906 this performance was duplicated with the first medium priced car being brought out. A six-cylinder car followed several years later.

LEADING MEN LURED. In making the history of the automobile world what is today, the company naturally attracted some of the leading figures known wherever the automobile is mentioned. These men include Roy Chapin, R. E. Olds, H. T. Thomas, C. B. Wilson, F. O. Beemer, Howard C. T. Harrington, R. B. Owen, K. C. Hupp, J. G. Utz, J. G. Bayne, C. C. Hinkley, C. W. Nash and George Dunham.

These men all later headed companies of their own and have made successful records in the automobile world. In addition to these men, Henry Leland, who at that time operated a machine shop, made his first automobile in 1903 for the Oldsmobile. John and Horace Dodge were also operating a small machine shop until the Olds Motor Works placed an order with them for 2000 license plates.

During the early days of production the Olds Motor Works built cars for the wealthy, pioneering in some of the latest cars ever made. In 1913 the company altered its production plans and made medium priced automobiles, with the result that today it stands out as one of the most progressive and largest companies in the country, manufacturing the world's lowest priced six-cylinder cars.

MOTOR CAR FIRM OPENS NEW STORE EAST OF LAKE

Purser Oakland Company Establishes Branch on
E. 14th St.

East Oakland's automobile row is growing. Most of the better known cars are represented there now and more are coming there rapidly. Among these is the Purser Oakland Company, which has just announced the opening of an East Oakland branch. The new branch is located at 14th and Broadway, and is the first of its kind in the East Bay. The Purser Oakland Company is a well-known firm in the automobile business, and its new branch is expected to do a large volume of business. The branch is managed by Mr. J. C. Potter, who is a well-known figure in the automobile world. The new branch is expected to be a great success, and it is hoped that it will help to increase the automobile business in the East Bay.

"We have established our sales here today to great residents."

PENNSYLVANIA ISHARD STATE FOR AUTO THIEF

Selling or buying a motor vehicle without certificate of title in Pennsylvania carries a penalty of \$100 to \$1000 fine and imprisonment from two to ten years; altering or forging a title, \$500 to \$5000 fine and imprisonment from two to ten years; destroying, distributing, or carrying away a vehicle, \$100 to \$1000 fine and imprisonment from two to ten years; misstatement of facts in application for certificate of title, \$100 to \$1000 fine and imprisonment from two to ten years; misstatement of facts in application for certificate of title, \$100 to \$1000 fine and imprisonment from two to ten years; misstatement of facts in application for certificate of title, \$100 to \$1000 fine and imprisonment from two to ten years.

quarters at Forty-first avenue and East Fourteenth street and have a complete line of open and closed cars there at all times. "There will be a sales staff there and a service expert so that Oakland car owners east of the lake need not drive downtown to have adjustments made. "The demand for cars has shown a tremendous increase in the past few months. This has been especially true since the arrival of the new Oakland models with four-wheel brakes. "The new East Oakland branch is open now and the salesmen will be glad to serve the residents of the East Bay."

TIRES IN DEMAND; PRICE MAY RISE

"Anticipate your needs now in all lines of automobile merchandise and make such purchase," states F. C. Potter of the Associated Tire Company here. "Prices on most automobile accessories are low at the present time and the motorist should take advantage of this fact, especially the prices of standard tires. These tires are now selling at a lower figure than ever before. "We have found that there are a great number of the motorists of the East Bay taking advantage of this fact, as we announced some very low prices on United States Royal Cords about a week ago and enjoyed a great increase in business. "However, as in past years, later in the spring when the touring season opens the demand for tires is greater, raw materials always increase and this forces the tire manufacturer to raise the price of tires," continued Potter.

Oakland's New Finish Makes This Possible

- 1 You can drive a True Blue Oakland Six through rain and mud for weeks, allow the spattered mud to remain on the finish—
- 2 And then—quickly and easily wipe off this dirt and mud with any kind of cloth, even without the use of soap, water or compounds—
- 3 So that—the original lustrous body finish of the car is restored in all its beauty, without a damaging scratch or mar!

Oakland has revolutionized motor car body finishes by adopting and perfecting the application of a radically different substance—Duco.

It is a beautiful, durable, weather-proof coating, impervious alike to sun and wind, rain and snow, and the alkaline air of the desert.

How fitting that the True Blue Oakland—the car with so many advanced features—should be the first car to offer this remarkable finish!

This—in itself—is reason enough why you should see the True Blue Oakland before buying any new motor car, regardless of price.

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Purser-Oakland Motor Co.
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NEW CORD TIRES MEET APPROVAL OF CAR OWNERS

Striking Features Are Their
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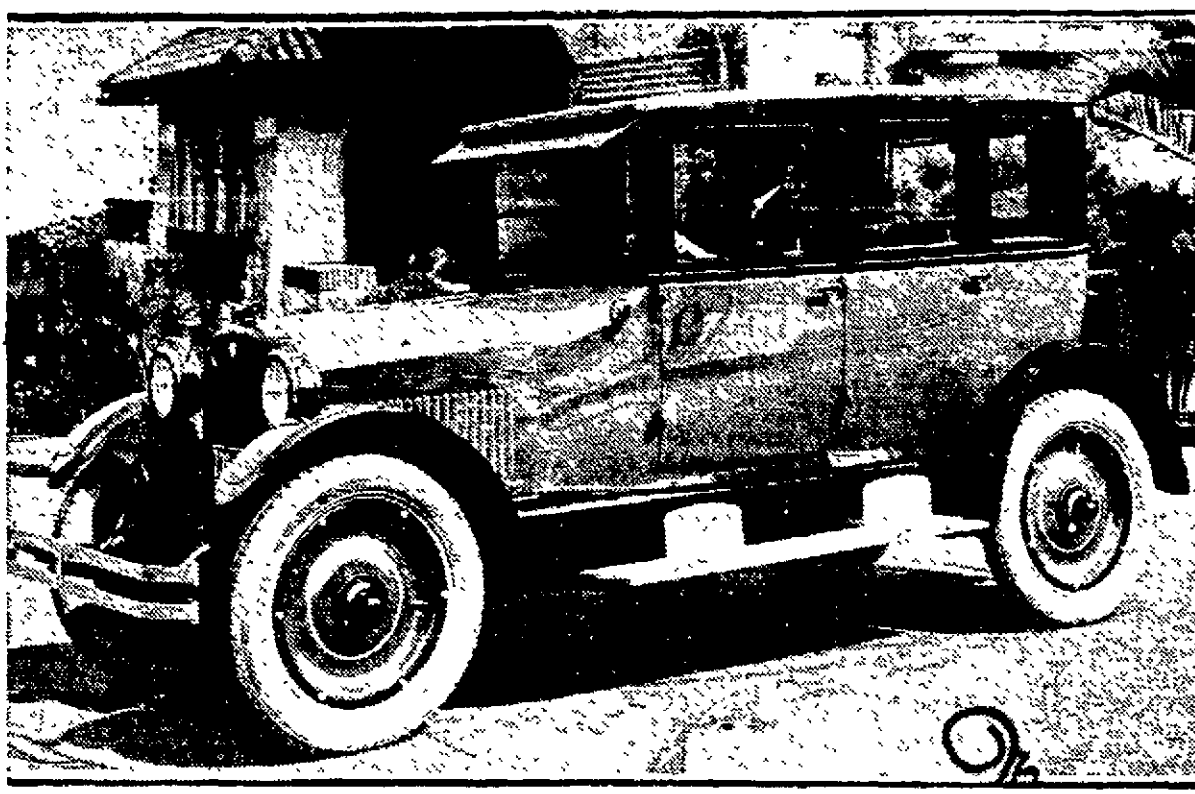
"So far Firestone balloon gum-dipped cords have appealed to most car owners through their desire for greater comfort and safety in driving. While these are the most striking characteristics of Firestone tires, leave the day is a far off when the economy of these tires will be recognized as one of the chief advantages. They are a real business investment which will pay for itself in a few months," states P. E. Leland, manager of the Firestone Tire Company here.

Their pronounced cushioning qualities, which give the motorist such supreme comfort, naturally protect the car from wear and tear. Upkeep and replacement expense are lessened. Car depreciation is reduced.

"Firestone has not only pioneered, developed, tested and standardized balloon gum-dipped cords, but has worked out the details of merchandising and service so that the Firestone dealers may at once present the important features of these tires to their customers and give them full particulars regarding changeovers. These dealers are prepared to answer any question the motorist might ask. They can give a demonstration in a car equipped with balloon cords.

"The Firestone balloon gum-dipped cord is made in four sizes, one of which is suitable for any make or model of passenger car. They are not simply an oversize tire. It has double the usual air capacity and operates on half the usual air pressure. A true balloon

Closed Car Season Is All Year Round Now
One of the new Reo sedans, which is on display at the auto show across the bay. The car is completely equipped, and is powered with the new Reo six cylinder motor.



tire to fit present wheels would not clear fenders, brakes and car bodies, and would change the gear ratio of the car, therefore the necessity for smaller wheels.

"Here are answers to some of the most common questions asked: 'Firestone balloon gum dipped cords give ample fender clearance; do not increase gear ratio; do not change the speed of the car; do not cut down power; do not increase fuel consumption; do not decrease tire mileage; do not puncture or bruise easier than high pressure tires.'

"We have Firestone balloon cords running in Oakland, which, at nearly 10,000 miles, look good for as much more. Every car owner who has put them on is more than satisfied—he is delighted.

"The secret of the success of these balloon cords lies in the Firestone manufacturing process called 'gum dipping' and in the special carcass construction. In the gum dipping process the pure crude rubber is made into a liquid and the cord fabric dipped into and

saturated with the solution. Each fibre and cord thus becomes thoroughly impregnated and insulated with rubber, adding great strength and toughness to the fabric, giving freedom from friction and making a carcass of extreme flexibility.

This process is used in the construction of all Firestone cords, the wonderful durability of which the motoring public is familiar.

**CAR STEALERS
ARE NOT NOTED
FOR "HONOR"**

Although several states have adopted the plan of requiring registration and certification of motor vehicle titles to curb the automobile thief, the Connecticut Motor Vehicle Department does not approve of this system.

The reason given is that it depends entirely upon the honor and veracity of the person who makes the return to the state department, and honor is not an outstanding trait of one who will steal a car.

F. VAN SICKLEN TO MAKE HOME ON THIS COAST

Fred W. Van Sicklen, veteran of the auto industry, whose many activities have always been picturesque and profitable, will reside on the Pacific coast. Presumably his choice will be Los Angeles. Van Sicklen made a success of a Ford dealership at Gary, Ind., but his health failed and he disposed of that business and of his home at Hammond, Ind., to remove to the coast with Mr. Van Sicklen, who has been his helper for 26 years. To a man of his ability securing connections on the coast with its rapidly growing population will be a matter of selection.

WHEEL ALIGNMENT.
The right rear wheel comes loose quicker than any other, and should be looked at more frequently. If only to save its tire from extra wear caused by its wobbling or running out of true.

MT. DIABLO ROAD OPEN TO TRAVEL

The boulevard to the top of Mount Diablo has been opened for automobile travel, the opening this season being several weeks earlier than usual. The grade is reported to be in splendid condition. There are many motorists who look upon the springtime dash up Mount Diablo as a refreshing preliminary to the more extensive tours through the Sierra Nevada regions which come later.

Already many automobile parties have made the run to Mount Diablo's crest, which in an air line is 50 miles from San Francisco. Those who have made the trip report that this is the finest time in the year for observations from the top of the mountain; that the atmospheric conditions are favorable for enjoying the valleys, rivers and mountains that may be seen from the top of Mount Diablo. Looking seaward the view extends out upon the Pacific ocean far beyond the Farallones.

**New Man Selected
To Open Territory**
Frank Ansted will inaugurate merchandising of the Lexington car on the Pacific Coast. Mr. Ansted will spend much time on the coast this year. The progress made by the Lexington company has been most satisfactory and there is every indication of a highly prosperous year.

When parking near a driveway or street intersection, do not have the car so near that a vehicle coming onto the roadway cannot cut in at an angle of 45 degrees to the curb line.

NEW BRANCH IN EAST OAKLAND

More and more automobile firms are being attracted to East Oakland on East Fourteenth street every month. E. Berzer, manager of the California Auto Sales Company, Oakland Six dealers here, announces the opening of branch sales and service building in this district.

B. Berger states: "In opening this new sales and service branch in East Oakland we are endeavoring to give the people the most convenient service possible on the new Oakland Six. There has been a great demand for this car ever since the announcement of the new model equipped with four-wheel brakes and a Fisher-built body last fall.

"We put great faith in East Fourteenth street and believe that it will be one of the leading automobile 'rows' of the great Eastbay in a very short time. Most of this is due to the class of people that are making their homes in this district. They are very progressive people and the kind of persons an automobile dealer likes to do business with.

Our new location at 2540 East Fourteenth street will be ready to occupy about April 25."

Half U. S. Autos Used For Business

According to statistics, nearly half the total number of automobiles in the United States is used daily for business and another 36 per cent is used for occasional business errands. Only one car in every 35 is used solely for recreation.

PUBLICITY MAN MADE DIRECTOR OF SALES FORCE

George H. Bryant, former publicity agent for the Ford Motor Company of Detroit, has been appointed director of sales for the William L. Hugbison Company, whose home office is located in San Francisco, with branches in Oakland, Los Angeles, Portland, Ore., and Seattle, Wash. For the past three years Bryant has covered the entire organization of Ford dealers throughout the United States in the interest of general advertising and publicity, combining with this work the organization of Ford selling and service forces along the most advanced lines of modern merchandising.

When oiling springs, a useful trick is to put graphite grease in an oil can and set it over a hot flame. When melted, the grease is injected between the leaves, especially the pair close to the bolts that hold them to the axle.

CONTEST BOARD SEC. IS CHOSEN

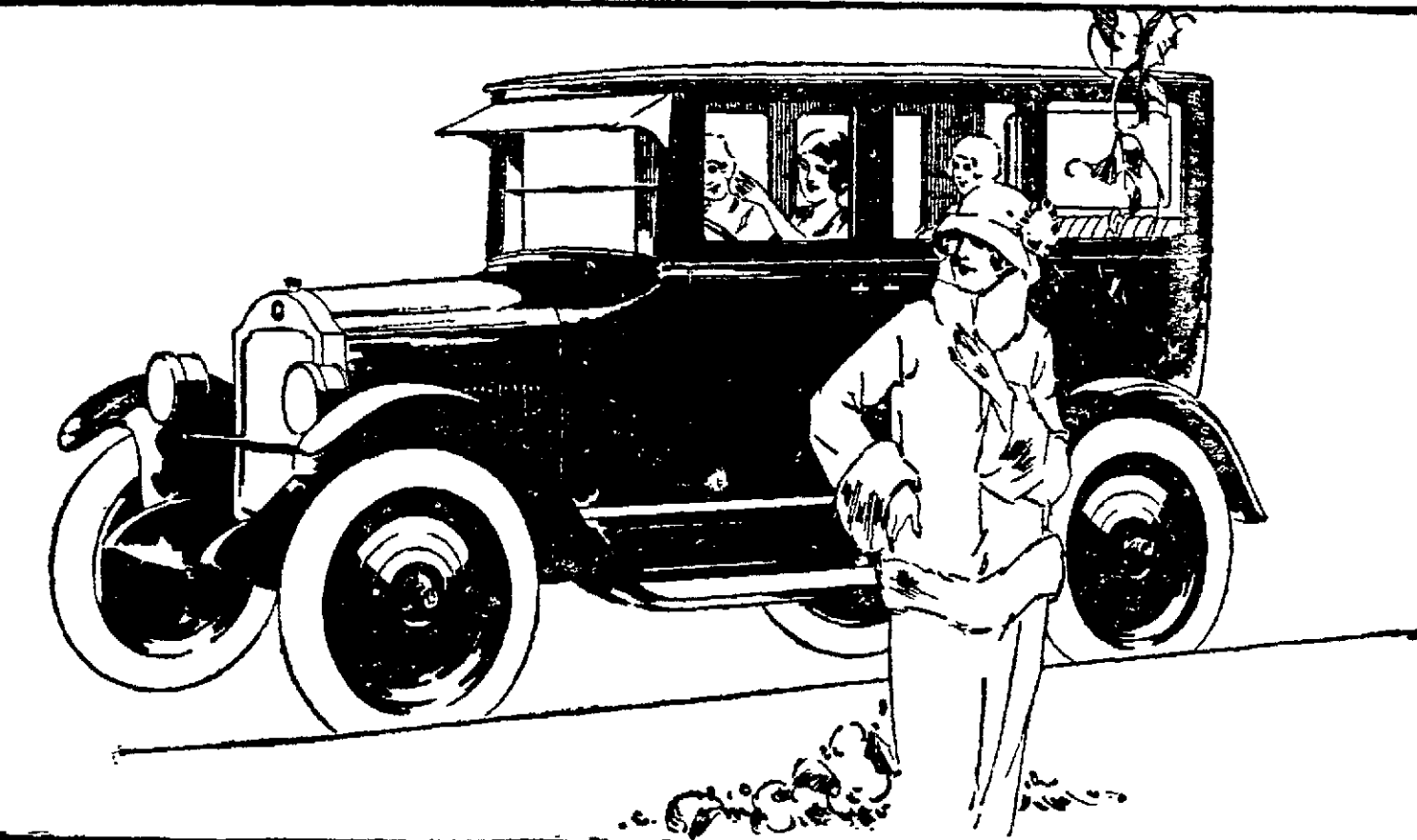
Paul C. Pommer of Los Angeles has been appointed secretary of the A. A. Contest Board by Chairman Joseph Mack of Detroit. He succeeds A. H. Means who has served in that capacity for the past five years.

Pommer is thoroughly familiar with the automobile racing situation in every part of the United States, having been the originator of the scoring system used on every major speedway in this country with the exception of the one at Indianapolis. He has served as an official at nearly every big automobile race for the past eight years.

The Contest Board is looked upon as one of the most important departments of the American Automobile Association.

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Under the hood, back of the distinguished radiator, the Red Seal Continental Motor awaits the contact of your foot with throttle to purr its way through traffic or speed its 50 on the highway.

Built to an ideal—the new Star Sedan is tangible evidence of just what we mean when we say—Geared to your pocketbook.

Call your dealer on the phone—now. He has 27 additional feature reasons—why the Star Sedan is your best buy.

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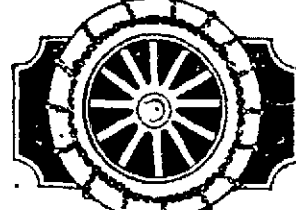
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The Star Car

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—is the vast army of satisfied customers served daily by the Western Auto Supply Company—the guarantee of satisfaction placed upon every article—the remarkable growth of the company, one store in 1916—ninety stores today—the fact that the "Western Auto" stores are the Auto Supply Headquarters for thousands of motorists of the West.



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Tire chains are a necessity in inclement weather. These are best quality and scientifically treated to prevent rust and give long service. \$3.50 to \$10.00 per pair, according to size. Also a complete line of Cross Chains and Repair Links.

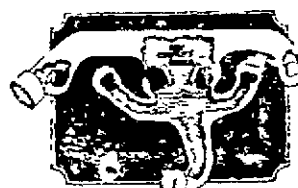
Cylinder Head Gaskets



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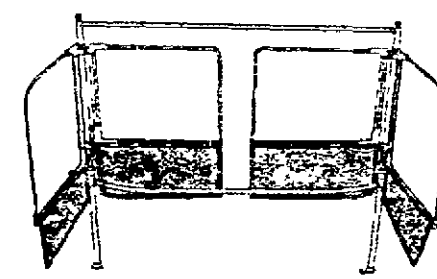
—for Ford cars. Guaranteed to cut fuel cost, increase mileage, decrease carbon, give more flexibility, greater power, and fully satisfy the user. There are no moving parts, nothing requiring constant adjustment. Installed in few minutes. Our price \$4.85

Top Dressing

"Western" brand "Mohair" or "Rubber" dressing in 1/2 pint or quart cans, priced from 50c to \$1.15, according to size. 1-quart can makes for sport top \$1.50.

"Black Duck" brand—1 pt. \$1.00; 1 qt. \$1.50. "Leath-r-nu"—1/2 pt. 45c; 1 pt. 85c, and 1 qt. \$1.35.

All Angle Tonneau Windshield

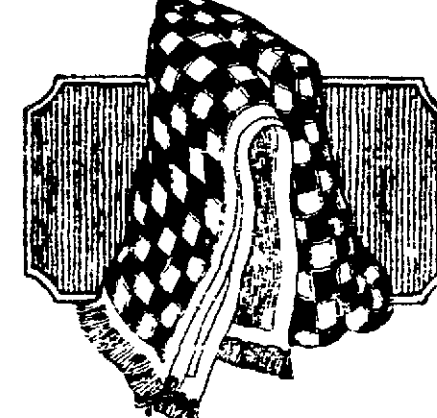


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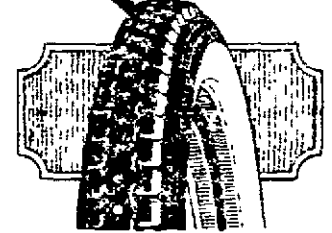
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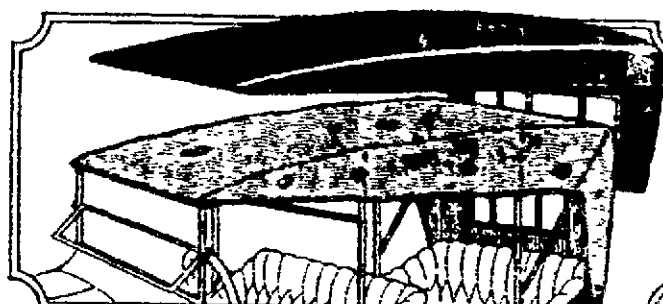
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CONSTANCE BENNETT IS A FEATURED PLAYER WITH THE FIRST NATIONAL PICTURES. DAVID WARFIELD, A NATIVE CALIFORNIAN, has realized an ambition of twenty years and is appearing in the role of Shylock in "The Merchant of Venice" in which he will be seen at the Lurie theater on March 9. Miss Frances Starr, who was with Warfield when he played "The Music Master" in 1906, is still one of the foremost women stars under the Belasco banner. Montague Love is shown as he appears in the picture, "A Son of the Sahara." Duane Thompson and Jimmie Adams and a prize-winning dog are in the Christie screen comedy, "Aggravating Papa." Carnel Myers is scheduled to appear in "Poisoned Paradise," a Gairner production, for Preferred Pictures.

"The Marriage Cheat" has been chosen as the title for Thomas H. Ince's next drama for First National release which Director John Griffith Wray has just completed under the temporary title of "Against the Rules." The production, which features Leatrice Joy, Percy Marmont and Adolph Menjou in the leading roles, is said to carry even more dynamite than "Anna Christie," Ince's screen adaptation of Eugene O'Neill's stage play.

Thomas Meighan and a company of Paramount players supporting him in "Write Your Own Ticket," his next Paramount picture, are at Palatka, Florida, making exterior scenes. Included in the party of thirty-six are Virginia Valli, who is playing the leading feminine role; Laurence Wheat, Charles Dow Clark, David Higgins, James Lapsley, Victor Heerman, director; William J. Scully, assistant director, and Paul Sloane, who adapted the

In addition to the magnificent work of fathers who are well-versed in a variety of languages, there is an amazingly fine performance by Helen Lowell as an old people who was con-

The following showed up in the list of the final cast: T. J. Connelley, Peter Barry, Thomas J. Maguire, John J. Sullivan, and a crowd of extras from the school of dramatic arts. Mary Astor, John J. Reilly, Nolan Ryan and Bill Haver. Walter Woods wrote the seven play from the stage drama and also served as

There would come a time when the effort to give humanity the gift of the "new world" would be a self-defeating effort, and a promise of peace would be the only way to avoid a world of violence and suffering situations arising from the "new world."

We are at the moment in a period of the move to present dramatic action as the next one. But the time has not yet come when a general plea of emotions of the gaudy and six-

They have a serious, earnest feel-
ing about the matter of this direc-
tion. "Now," says the old creation,
"I am for a free, trained and
disciplined man could have
a more complete education than
the various teachers which stand out so
prominently in 'The Marriage Cir-
cumscription' of a sick-
clad woman, and of the way the
kindness of fate, the mercy
of shadows—these little things
are much to Libbitt. They
mean much in real life. And
Libbitt is a man who makes
other people live. What a per-
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Large Numbers Engaged For Mob Scenes

The greatest mob scenes ever "need are being planned by Charles Brabin for his Goldwyn production of Lew Wallace's "Ben Hur," according to dispatches from Italy.

Brabin and technical workers from the Goldwyn Studios are now preparing to begin camera work on the story, which is planned as the most lavish production ever made for the screen. Thirty-five thousand Italian Fascists will change from black shirt to toga for mob scenes in the big production, Brabin cables.

The entire picture will be filmed in Europe, Brabin and Edward Bowes, Goldwyn vice-president, are now in Turin, Italy, and will be joined soon by June Mathis, Editorial director of the company, who adapted "Ben Hur" to the screen.

Ernest Lubitsch, famous director who has just produced "The Marriage Circle" for Warner Brothers, has announced his intention of becoming a United States citizen and making California his permanent home.

ON THE SCREEN

By Quinn Martin

(Continued from Page 1-W)

fective grand little picture this one is!

The melodrama by Sir Hall Caine made up of the tragedy of a wronged girl on the Isle of Man is heavy, broadly pictured stuff, which has by no means been underplayed, but rather far too feverishly overplayed. It is Diamond Dick material magnified a dozen times, with all the thrills possible to inject into it. Instead of being just half-way interested in this picture play, we saw it and were left cold and dry. And we are left disappointed, too. Samuel L. Rothel of the Capitol, whose judgment about motion pictures is exceedingly worth while, has said that he considered "Name the Man" to be one of the best he ever has presented. We should like very much to engage in a radio debate with Romy on this subject.

HIGHBROW, BUT NOT ENOUGH TO HURT.

The Marriage Circle is our idea of the kind of thing which ought to be coming along every once in a while. It is highbrow, but not highbrow enough to hurt.

Recently one of our favorite picture actresses came to Broadway in a new film. Mae Marsh always has seemed to us to be far more naturally equipped for screen acting than most any other leading woman. She never gave a bad performance in her career, so far as we have learned. And some of her work has been superb. Even if we were the only one in the United States to say so, we should never weaken in our opinion concerning her performance in "The White Rose," which Griffith made. It was a masterpiece of film acting. So far ahead of anything we have seen from any other screen actress in the last year that there's no comparison. The story was pretty sentimental and frequently padded, and still we were deeply touched by the acting of Miss Marsh.

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Actor and Sculptor

The study of one art begets interest in another, but Carl Miller admits that his interest in sculpture is the result of his desire for a diversion and his choice this means in preference to going into the studio or other things.

"I don't regard myself as an artist," he confesses, "though I have had several things exhibited—one in particular being a piece called 'California Boyhood' for which a lad named Seiga posed. It was a bust and was shown at the Los Angeles Art League's exhibit at the Ambassador recently."

"I am a member of the Sculptors' Guild of Southern California of which there are forty in the organization. I go in largely for portraiture, probably because of my intense interest in human nature as a study."

"Recently, too, I've taken up batik as a diversion and have a studio for the work, but clay modeling is my chief pleasure. It affords relaxation after the work in pictures."

Carl Miller is just at present playing a leading part in R. William Neill's production for Grand-Asher, "Rose of the Ghetto" opposite Marie Prevost who has the title role.

Oddly enough, Anders Randolf, the noted heavy and character actor, who plays a very striking role in the same picture is also an artist but goes in for painting—oils and watercolor, as well as pastel. Thus two artists of the screen are well met in one picture as artists also in another phase of creative work.

New Blanche Sweet Film

Marshall Neilan is to return to the Goldwyn fold and continue work on his contract, interrupted since last spring for a long vacation and for his direction of Mary Pickford's "Dorothy Vernon of England."

His first picture will be the many times postponed "Tess of the D'Urbervilles" with his wife, Blanche Sweet, as "Tess." Camera work is awaiting the delivery of Miss Sweet by Thomas H. Ince, who has haltered at work behind closed doors for many weeks on "Those Who Dance." It is expected that she will be free in about ten days.

When "Tess" is started it will be the first time that Miss Sweet has worked under the direction of her husband since 1918, when they did "The Unpardonable Sin" together.

And when it starts one of the oldest mutual admiration societies in film will resume its daily meetings. "Miss Sweet is the most wonderful actress in the world—the cleverest, most adaptable, most beautiful, most soulful, most intelligent"—and so on until his hysterical sander away. "Blanche" will tell everyone who comes on the set.

"Mr. Neilan is a genius a positive genius, when it comes to the direction of pictures," Miss Sweet will start her conversation with a visitor. "He is limited by the commercial necessities of picture-making. But he stands out head and shoulders above every other director in the business. I feel inspired when I work with him. He could make a great actress out of any woman."

Hughes in New York

Rupert Hughes, the Goldwyn author-director, has arrived in New York from Los Angeles, where he will stay for several weeks.

Hughes just completed his latest production for Goldwyn "True as Steel" an original story dealing with the problems of the woman in business. Allen Fung, Humphrey Gordon, Norman Kerry, Louise Fazenda and Eleanor Boardman play leading parts.

Harry McCoy Patsy Ruth Is Elevated To Miller Signed Co-Stardom By Paramount

Harry McCoy, whose work in Century Companies with Jack Earle the youthful giant has created considerable interest has been elevated to co-stardom with Patsy Ruth Miller in a picture with Earle in which the two will be featured as a team.

McCoy is truly one of the best two reel comedy veterans of the screen. After leaving Gus Edwards many years ago, having been one of the famous gentlemen's "protectors," McCoy joined the Mack Sennett Keystone company. This was even before Chaplin's time. In fact it was McCoy who first introduced Chaplin into film society. McCoy was with Sennett for many years. At that time he was one of the leading juveniles in comedies, and has still the same versatility and pep of former years.

McCoy's first picture was "Obey the Law" and it was his work in this Jack Earle picture that prompted his being signed for "Keep Moving," along with Jack Earle. With this completion of this Stern Brothers placed him under contract that will

bring him to the scene, via Century Comedies, as a featured co-star.

Patsy Ruth Miller has been signed by Paramount to play the leading feminine role in the forthcoming Herbert Brenon production "The Breaking Point." Production will start January 14 at the Lasky studio on this adaptation of Mary Roberts Rinehart's popular story.

Herbert Brenon, who will produce this Paramount picture, has just returned from the East to supervise the preparatory work. He recently finished "Shadows of Paris" starring Pola Negri and also produced the preceding Pola Negri picture "The Spanish Dancer."

Theodore von Eltz, who is stepping along in pictures, is already receiving offers for his services which are still given over entirely to his featured role in Paramount's "The Breaking Point," Herbert Brenon, directing.

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De Roche Signed

Charles De Roche has signed a contract to play the heavy in "The Man With a Plan" in support of Richard Dix and Corwin T. Miller. De Roche's first picture will be "The Man With a Plan." This will be the first appearance of De Roche in a Paramount picture.

"Toiment" Release Soon

"Toiment," Maurice Tourneur's latest photoplay, will be released early next month, according to announcement made by First National pictures. Tourneur's releasing organization, yesterday, with scenes from the Russian revolution and the Japanese earthquake, it is replete with thrills. In the cast are Owen Moore, Bessie Love, Joseph Kilgour, Jean Hersholt, Maude George Morgan Wallace, George Cooper and others.

Laura La Plante, newly arrived star in Universal productions, is about to start work on her second starring vehicle. It is an adaptation of a magazine story by Hubert Footner titled "A New Girl in Town." It will reach the screen as "The Dangerous Blonde."

Robert Service Novel Filmed For Preferred

Robert W. Service's novel "The Road to Mandalay" is being filmed by B. P. Schulz with one of the most interesting casts assembled this season. K. M. H. H. H.

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By Jack La
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Clyde Fillmore, Ruth Renick, Norman Todd, Rex Cochrane, Helen Audford, Talbot Henderson, Mena Baker, Lea Papayan, Hugh Knox, George Webster, Ralph Kline, and all the Fulton Stars will feature in the riotously funny scenes in "OUR CROWD."
Photo: Lakeside 73.
Next Sunday "The Breaking Point"

plays the leading role, supported by Clara Bow, Carmel Myers, who has just done notable work in "The Slave of Desire," is also in the cast along with Raymond Griffith, that talented character actor seen recently in "The Eternal Three" and "The Day of Faith."

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Oakland High Has Edge for Basket Title

Fremont Plans Busy Year in Crew, Track, Tech Baseball Team Active.

By DOUG MONTELL.

Oakland high schools are facing one of the busiest spring seasons in athletics in recent years with basketball and baseball already in full swing and track, tennis, swimming and crew coming up in the near future.

Interest at present centers on the race in the O. A. L. for the basketball championship with the Technical-Oakland game next Thursday afternoon. Oakland is expected to win the title.

Oakland high school, undefeated to date, meets a powerful contender in Fremont. Coach Hansen's team is not expected to be defeated at the hands of Fremont.

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Good Thing He Didn't Say Any More

--By Dick Dorgan



Hoover Starts Training for Olympic Race

Prize Forward, Promising Youngster, Is Working With ex-Champion.

By RAY McCARTHY.

Special Correspondent.

Oakland, Feb. 23.—With the opening of the championship season, Coach Hoover, who has been training for the past several months, is expected to win the title. The team is expected to win the title.

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East Bay Barks

By S. Boehm

The premium list for the Pasadena show on March 7 and 8 is out. This is the first all-around show of the 1924 California season. The premium list is impressive, showing that the show is expected to be a success. The team is expected to win the title.

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Competition In Olympiad Is Improving

Showing of Finland at Antwerp Sounded Warning to American Supremacy.

By WALTER CAMP.

Special Correspondent of the Oakland Tribune.

Oakland, Feb. 23.—Approximately six thousand athletes will be entered for the summer sports events of the Olympiad games, according to official predictions from Paris, and the eyes of the sports world are focusing more and more upon this great test of nations.

But despite the interest displayed in the Olympiad, the money needed to send American athletes to the games has not been forthcoming. The committee, and especially the secretary, is beginning to feel the pinch.

Personalities, the writer does not believe that the committee will fall to provide the funds, one way or another, but it is a thing that cannot be left to the last minute in the hope that some philanthropic enthusiast will come along and put up the pot.

There is also another matter at stake in the matter of the Olympiad.

Now, as to the contestants who will go to the United States. It is a close second at Antwerp, with eight events, and the quality of the athletes has been noted.

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When Helen Wills finally rose in her might and knocked the world's champion from the throne of women's tennis in this country, there were several to say that the Norse woman would come back again, but this feeling has died away of recent months.

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Braves Miss Tony Boeckel; Talent Scarce

National League Clubs Well Fixed for Third Sackers; Few in American.

By GEORGE CHADWICK.

Special Correspondent Oakland Tribune.

Oakland, Feb. 23.—The tragic death of Norman Boeckel, after an accident in California, has left the Boston Nationals, on the verge of their start to training camp, face to face with one of the hardest problems in baseball—that of finding a good third baseman.

Boeckel had not reached the plane of skill that comes to a few third basemen, and there is little reason to believe that he ever would have. But he was surely an average guardian of the hot corner, and his batting made him more valuable than many a snappier infielder.

Sudden Problem. This third base problem, so suddenly thrust upon Boston, is one of the hardest in baseball. It is both a major league something, and a minor league something. It is a problem that is not easy to solve.

New York has Groh—a good fielder, sometimes brilliant and a batter who is not too bad. He is pitched to properly.

Pittsburgh has Traynor—one of the greatest of them all, just bursting through the paper hoop with everything a third baseman ought to have, including brains.

Chicago has Freiberg, a transferred outfielder whom the Cubs, from president down to office boy, believe is destined for a permanent place in the third base hall of fame.

Cincinnati has Pinelli, as good as the best two years ago and not quite so good, but still good, since Johnny Johnston is in the line.

Brooklyn presumably will put Jimmy Johnston in the line. The Great Ball player, that boy, a good hitter, good infielder and a good runner, who has never been fully appreciated.

As for the rest—Boston has lost Boeckel and is looking for a successor. Philadelphia isn't sure who will play third, and Arthur Fletcher will not be able to decide until he sees his prospect in action at Leesburg. St. Louis has the veteran Stock, who is plodding as almost any player would plod after ten years on the infield.

Few in American. Against the National League's four and possibly five good third sackers, the American league can show only three indubitable top-notchers, although several others may be telling you otherwise. American league averages up better in third basemen than the National.

The American league's stellar trio comprises Dugan of the New York Yankees, who is expected to be the best third sacker in the business; who is one of the best; Lutzke, the loose jointed, hard throwing, big palmed third sacker of the Cleveland Indians; and Kane of Chicago, who is working, graceful and sure bit of human machinery, who ran Lutzke such a close second in 1923.

Philadelphia has Hale. This third sacker was one of the best last year because of illness. He is not a fielder who hugs the field to his chest. Detroit presumably will play Jones at third. He is not as sure as some third basemen, but he is sure that he can play. Lutzke probably will play third for the St. Louis Browns. Boston has McMillan. Frank Chance had given an opportunity to grow. But he hasn't finished growing yet.

Someone may come along. But third at Washington, but that someone will have to be better than good. And Blueleg may prove twice the ball player this season that he was last year.

Lodge-Firpo Bout Postponed; On Today

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 23.—The Firpo-Lodge heavyweight fight, which was to have taken place tonight, was again postponed on account of rain. The fight will be held tomorrow, according to present plans.

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WALSH BIDS ANDS EXPLAIN TIP TO FALL

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U. C. First to Advance World College Move

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—The first step toward the establishment of an international university has been taken by the University of California, according to Dean Walter Morris Hart, announcing that a number of European professors have been invited to give instruction at the summer sessions of the university this year. Dean Hart declared today that California has taken the lead in promoting international educational relations.

"The summer session is largely conducted by people from elsewhere," he said, "and we have more visitors here than there are at any other university. We have only recently begun to invite European scholars to our summer sessions. There were a few last summer and there will be many more this year. This plan opens up a great field. It is a good thing at this time for Europeans to visit America. It is most valuable for our people to come in contact with foreign culture."

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ENGLAND, IRELAND AND FRANCE SEE BIG TOURIST YEAR

Three Nations Prepare to Profit by Expected Influx of Americans.

By HAYDEN TALBOT, Universal Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—England, Ireland and France are preparing for record-breaking numbers of visitors this spring and summer. Never in any one year have there been so many and so world-wide appearing attractions as these three countries will offer this season. Never in history have there been so many steamships in commission as will ply the seas from April to October.

The British Empire Exhibition at Wembley—on which upward of \$200,000,000 will have been expended before the king formally opens it April 22—is expected to create attendance records that will make all former world's fairs look like a Chautauqua gathering. According to exhibition officials the total attendance will exceed 50,000,000.

The Gaelic sports to be held in Dublin will undoubtedly attract Irishmen and Irish women from all corners of the earth—one enthusiastic estimate recently received from an official of the Tailteann games setting the figure of visitors at 100,000.

INFLUX TO PARIS. Paris will have the Olympic games—and is preparing to accommodate the greatest influx of foreign merry-makers in its history.

It experiences of other seasons may be taken as a criterion. It is safe to assume that the very few exceptions all of the tour of the land first in England will be Paris in their itinerary. Those who make Paris their destination will visit London, fore-sailing for home. But the great bulk of the crowd Londoners are now preparing to house will be composed of tourists from outlying parts of the United Kingdom.

This exhibition authorities have made arrangements with all of the British railways to offer excursion rates at as much reduction as one-fifth of the lowest prevailing rates. The canny Scot in Glasgow will thus be able to make the return journey for \$1.25 against \$2.50 which is the ordinary third class round trip fare. As a matter of fact the basic rate from any station in Scotland to the exhibition and return will be set at \$1.50. Similar reductions will be made from all parts of Wales and Ireland.

Including residential hotels (most of them unlicensed) it is estimated that in Central London—within four miles of Charing Cross—there are accommodations for 120,000 transients. Within an hour's ride in non-stop Pullman trains there are beds for 1,250,000 visitors, according to exhibition officials' estimates.

At this writing advance reservations in the higher class London hotels is only slightly heavier than in ordinary years, and according to local steamship authorities there is yet to develop the record-breaking demand for berths which, nevertheless, is still confidently expected.

The season in London will extend from the middle of April to the end of October—almost two months longer than ever before. To keep it in full swing without an interruption the date of the International Horse Show at Olympia has been put forward a month, and will be held for the first time in October.

AMERICA AT HORSE SHOW. Incidentally this will be the first year since 1914 that there will be representative American entries in the Horse Show.

What is expected to provide the biggest attraction to Americans who visit Wembley is the international radio which Charles B. Cochran is now organizing in New York in conjunction with Tex Rickard. Although the exhibition is wholly British this super roundup will be the sole exception, better than 90 per cent of the contestants being Americans. The exhibition authorities have given Mr. Cochran a free hand, but it is understood he is working along lines adopted by American organizers of other rodeos—each entrant receiving only his passage money and being dependent on his ability to win one of the cash prizes for any profit.

The English Bar Association has an elaborate program outlined for the entertainment of the American contingent will be the 25th delegates in the advertising convention to be held here in June.

Hotelkeepers in the West End are exerting every effort to awaken their foreign patrons to the desirability of reaching London by rail. Arrivals of two months earlier than usual. The formal opening of the exhibition is described as the most gorgeous show the world has ever seen. On the morning of April 23 the King and Queen, the Prince of Wales and the fifteen-mile journey from Buckingham Palace to Wembley in the state coach drawn by eight horses. Along the entire route the thousands of spectators will be packed up as in the case of the great procession to Westminster on the occasion of the opening of Parliament.

Proposes Change in Inauguration Date

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE WIRE TO TRIBUNE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The Senate today passed a resolution to change the date of presidential inauguration from March 4 to January 20. The resolution was passed by a vote of 74 to 16.

The resolution was introduced by Senator Norris, Republican of Nebraska. It provides that the President-elect shall take office on January 20, and that the Congress shall convene on the same day.

TO GIVE LEAP YEAR DANCE. Members of the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors will give a Leap Year Dance at Ashland Temple on March 19. Mrs. Roy Rudey is chairman of the committee in charge.

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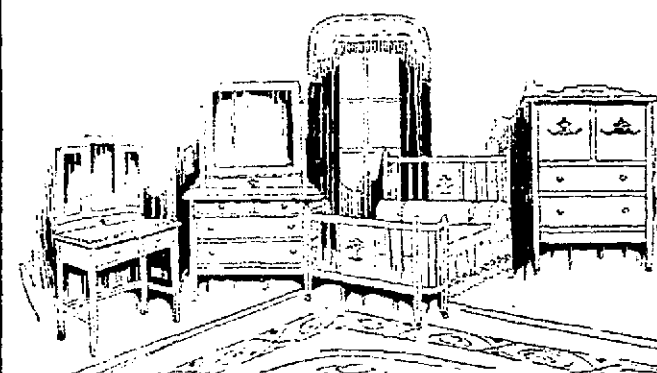
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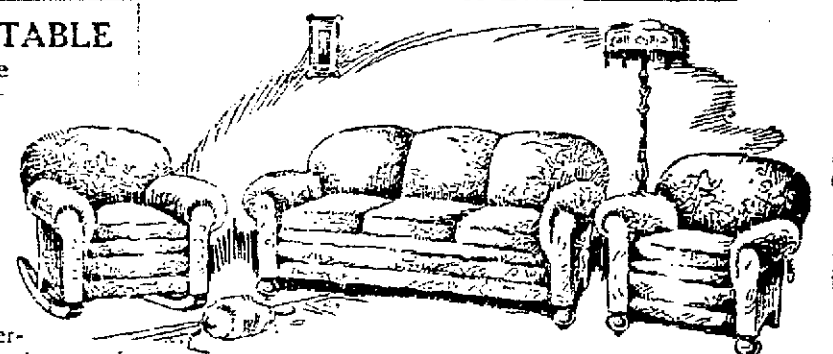
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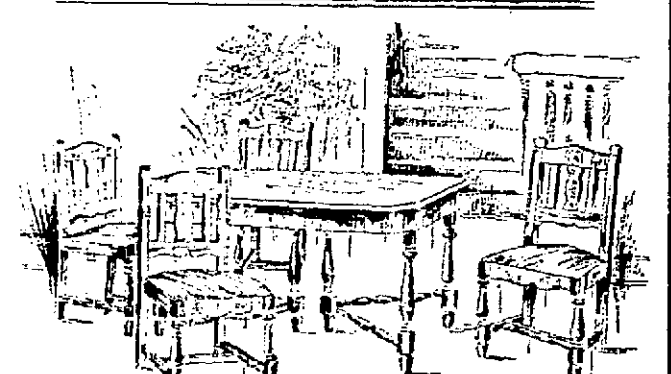
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LION AND UNICORN DANCE FEATURE IN U. C. PARTHENEIA

**Merrie Masque of May Well
Under Way; Rehearsals
Daily; Offices Opened.**

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—Rehearsals are well under way for "The Merrie Masque of May," the annual Parthenia of University of California, co-eds to be held in April in Faculty Glade.

Dancing groups of unusual color and grace are to be particular features of this year's masque. Well known dancers on the campus have been chosen for solo parts. Frances Hatch will be the spirit of wealth and will lead a group of 40 young women in pantomime and dancing, while Harry Daniels and Burdette Spencer have been chosen for the roles of incense burners. One of the novel features of the pageant will be a dance of the lion and the unicorn to be interpreted by Eloise and Betty Schol.

For the first time since co-eds have been giving their Parthenias, they have been assigned duly recognized offices on the campus. Old North Hall has been turned over to the women's committees in charge of preparations for the annual outdoor event.

Thomas L. Reilly to Be Guest at Reception

A reception in honor of Thomas L. Reilly, former congressman from Connecticut, will be held Monday night under the direction of the Oakland aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, in the Native Sons' hall, Eleventh and Clay streets. Judge Harry Pulifer, president of the aerie, has appointed a reception committee consisting of Dr. H. B. Mehrmann, Sheriff Frank Barnett, Milton Sevier, Judge James C. Quinn, Chief of Police James T. Drew and Judge William J. Hennessey. A special invitation has been extended to the Oakland letter carriers and postal clerks to attend the reception and meet Reilly, who was the author of considerable legislation favorable to postal employees. The arrangements committee is composed of Dan W. Dood, Frank Brenneiser, H. C. Yost, Harry T. Burns, and H. W. Longfellow.

To Play in Masque of May

JEANETTE TOBERMAN, who will take part in "The Merrie Masque of May," annual Parthenia of University of California in April.



Piedmont Parlor Will Initiate Class

Piedmont Parlor No. 87, Native Daughters of the Golden West, held a whist party Thursday night in Corinthian hall, Pacific building. Mrs. Harriet Emerson was chairman assisted by the following com-

mittee. President Ramona Ring, Alice Munn, Josephine Clark, Madeline Wilson, Grace Menden, Edna Healy, Marion E. Ring and Mildred Gluck.

Next Thursday night the regular meeting will be held, when several applications for membership will be presented. A large class initiation is scheduled for the near future.

SECRET DIVORCE PRESENTS KNOTTY LEGAL PROBLEM

**Decree, Reconciliation and
Concealed Decree Tangle
Man's Estate.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—A husband's act in secretly obtaining a divorce from his wife, with whom he then continued to live, today presented Superior Judge Morgan's court with one of the strangest legal problems in the history of the local bench.

Mrs. Josie White of Castella, Shasta county, obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce from James B. White, Shasta county game warden, in 1915. Five days after the decree was granted the two became reconciled and lived together for eight years more, until White was shot and killed by a private detective last October.

While making arrangements for the funeral, Mrs. White discovered that in the preceding January her husband had secretly obtained a final decree of divorce. Mrs. White sued for the widow's share of White's \$8,000 estate, on the ground that the final decree had been obtained by fraud. Much as White had not told the court that he had lived with his wife since the interlocutory decree was granted, Henry McGuinness, White's executor, contended with the contention that the two had been actually divorced, and that White's will, bequeathing all his property to McGuinness and to several half-brothers, and half-sisters, should be nullified.

McGuinness acted as White's attorney in the obtaining of the final decree. He is represented in the present contest by Attorney Maxwell McNutt. Mrs. White's attorneys are J. E. Hauger and R. A. Rogers.

Parisian Style of Hair Dress Changes

PARIS, Feb. 23.—Bobbed hair in the morning, long tresses at night.

Summed up, that's the new and daring fashion in Paris. Yesterday, the tragedienne, now playing to crowded houses at Volterra's Theatre de Paris, started the fashion by appearing at the races one day with hair that had evidently been bobbed, and the same night being seen in a fashionable restaurant with coils of golden hair that wound around the back of her head.

The big surprise came when Vera explained that the hair was all her own. She had evolved a manner of cutting the outer layer of hair at the back short in line with the neck, leaving a long mesh underneath. This mesh, in the daytime, she camouflaged beneath the short strands by means of a specially constructed hairpin. At night she had only to wind it over the short hair instead of underneath.

G. A. R. Corps To Hold Luncheon

Lyon Relief Corps No. 6, and Lyon Post No. 8, will give their regular monthly luncheon in Memorial hall, Tuesday, February 26, at noon.

The Washington Birthday tea given by Lyon Corps in Wigwam hall on Wednesday afternoon was well attended, the following program being given: Address, by Commander W. M. Taylor; solo, by Mrs. Alma Brooks, accompanied by Mrs. W. S. Rucker; address, by Senator Edward Hurler; piano solo, by Mrs. W. S. Rucker; recitation, Mrs. California Sherwood; piano solo, Miss Hazel Wachter; address, Judge Lincoln S. Church.

HAYWARD



HAYWARD DOG "SHINNIES" UP POLE LIKE BOY

HAYWARD, Feb. 23.—Joseph Brandon, business man of Hayward and until recently a member of the police force, claims to own a dog that can climb a fence in the manner designated by the average young boy as "shinnies."

Fences of the picket variety, says Brandon, are too high for "Duke" to surmount with a leap, offer little or no resistance because of his ability to grasp the poles with his fore paws and by a motion of his legs propel himself rapidly upward.

"Duke," in the opinion of Brandon, is the only one of his species that can climb a pole or fence successfully; particularly so when it is considered that the accomplishment was not taught but was perfected by the dog.

Funeral Held for Hayward Infant

HAYWARD, Feb. 23.—Funeral services for Baby Jean Donner, two months old daughter of Milton and Georgia Donner, who died early Friday morning, were held from the Donner residence on Alice street this morning at 10 o'clock. Interment was at the Lone Tree cemetery. Rev. Josiah Daniel, pastor of the Hayward Presbyterian church, conducted the ceremony.

The funeral of Peter Mathiesen, pioneer resident of Russell City, who died at Oakland hospital Friday afternoon following a lingering illness, will be held from a local undertaking establishment Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He is survived by two sons and two daughters, Harry P. Mathiesen, of Fairfield, and Leroy C. and Elizabeth Mathiesen, of Hayward.

Rotarians to Hear Address on Sales

HAYWARD, Feb. 23.—George W. Wessels, of Los Angeles, will speak on "Sales and Service Problems" at the weekly luncheon of the Hayward Rotary Club, Monday noon in the Civic League of Women Voters' rooms on Main street. John Robinson will act as chairman. The committee of arrangements consists of Robinson, Walter Daniels and Jesse B. Jolly.

At the luncheon, according to John Lee Wilbur, president of the club, report of a committee on preparations for attendance at the annual conference, in San Jose next month, will be made. The committee comprises Martin Madison, Horace R. Robinson and E. W. Burr.

Civic League to Hear Alameda Attorney

HAYWARD, Feb. 23.—William J. Locke, city attorney of Alameda, will speak at the semi-monthly meeting of the Hayward Civic League of Women Voters, at the league headquarters on Main street, Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Locke will explain the city manager form of government.

Study and instruction in city county and state government will be in charge of Mrs. J. A. Innes of Oakland.

Native Sons Lunch Club Elects Chiefs

At the last meeting of the Native Sons Lunch Club the annual election of officers was held. Frank C. Merritt, grand historiographer of the Native Sons of the Golden West, was elected president and Nicholas J. Meener, president of Piedmont Parlor No. 126, N. S. G. W. and governor of the Past Presidents Association of Alameda county, was re-elected secretary. All presidents of Native Son parlors in the county will act as honorary vice-presidents.

Christian Unity to Be Sermon Subject

HAYWARD, Feb. 23.—"Christian Unity" will be the Sunday morning sermon subject at the Hayward Congregational church. Rev. A. P. Orth, pastor, will tell of the church federation conference which he attended last week. In the evening Miss Myra Weymouth, world traveler and Women's Christian Temperance Union organizer, will speak at a union meeting of all Hayward churches at the Congregational church.

Rev. Josiah Daniel, pastor at the Hayward Presbyterian church, will preach Sunday morning on "Efficiency Through Prayer." Special musical numbers will be rendered by the choir.

"The Witnesses of the Spirit" will be the sermon theme at the Hayward Methodist Episcopal church tomorrow morning. Rev. Henry J. Winsor, pastor, occupying the pulpit. The rite of baptism will be administered and new members welcomed.

At the Hayward Christian Science church "Soul" will be the Sunday subject.

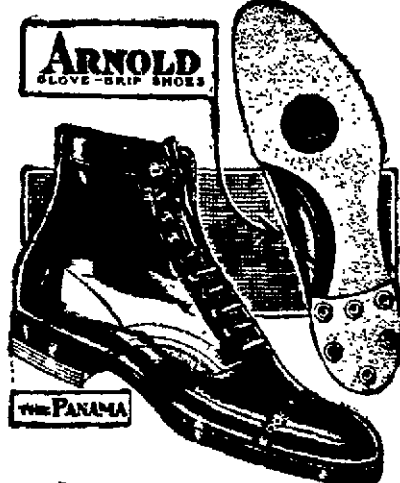
State Conference Considers Delegates

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—A state conference called by the Coolidge California national committee for Monday will pass upon two delegates recommended by each congressional district in the state. The conference opens at 10 o'clock at the St. Francis hotel.

The basis of representation from each California congressional district, according to rulings of the committee, shall be ten delegates with alternates or proxies. At the conference seven delegates-at-large will also be elected.

The campaign committee consists of Marshall Hale, chairman; Percy V. Long, Frank F. McRaman, Ralph Arnold and Mark L.

Requa. The executive committee will be composed of one man and one woman from each of the eleven congressional districts, together with officers of the state league and members of the national campaign committee acting as ex-officio members.



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Hair Net Imports to U.S. Are On Decrease

SHANGHAI, China, Feb. 23.—More than a million gold dollars' worth of human hair nets were shipped from Shanghai to the

United States during the first nine months of last year, according to figures made public here.

This is a decrease of fully \$500,000 from the corresponding period of 1922, when \$1,500,000 worth of business was done from here in

the human hair trade with the United States.

As is apparent from the above figures, everything is not well in the hair net world. Business in hair nets seems to be confined only to those brands widely adver-

tised throughout the United States by concerns who import the raw material from China and manufacture the finished product in their own factories and plants in America.

This would appear to be the rea-

son why local exporters of the finished article find it difficult to market their product, the major portion of the exports from China being shipments of raw hair.

A stove with four decks has been invented to conserve heat.

Schools Defy Rule To Enjoy Holiday

SANTA CLARA, Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was observed as a holiday by local schools here yesterday despite the

ruling of County Superintendent of Schools Hancock who interpreted the school laws to mean that the day is a regular school day with appropriate exercises to be rendered. As a result, Washington exercises were held at all of the local schools, public and private, on Thursday

and students were given a day off to celebrate the day yesterday.

PRISON MUSIC AND SHAVES. LONDON.—The commissioners of prisons report that musical concerts and daily shaving have had a beneficial effect on convicts.

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All sold on easy terms at the standard cash prices.

Everything you need. Spades, Rakes, Hoes, Lawn Mowers, Sprinklers and the like. Garden Hose, Gloves, Trowels, Forks, etc. A complete department.

—Household Dept., basement

WHITE AND GOLD DINNER SETS

32-piece set..... 4.98

45-piece set..... 6.95

Terms 1.50 down—2.00 month

Choice of two size sets—same terms for each. Medium grade of semi-porcelain. Splendid shape, as illustrated. Decorated with a dainty garland design in gold. An attractive, dainty every-day set for six people. Can be had in a 32 or 45-piece set. Splendid values.

—Crockery Dept., basement

FIBER REED BUGGY

4.50 down—4.00 month

45.00

A Whitney model, as illustrated. Comes in three finishes—gray, café or ecru. Corduroy upholstery, box cushions, safety belt, reversible body and rubber tired artillery wheels.

—Children's Store, mezzanine floor.

Full Cabinet Gas Range

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Set up complete

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In black enamel and white porcelain. Large broiler and a 20x13-inch oven. Malleable iron construction—built by the makers of the famous Monarch Malleable Ranges. —Stove Dept.

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"HOYT" AUTOMATIC WATER HEATERS AT JACKSON'S

Usual Easy Terms

Size indicated is the number of gallons per minute of hot water that the heater will deliver. The prices include setting up complete:

No. 2—without legs.. 72.50
No. 2—with legs..... 75.00
No. 2 1/2—with legs.. 87.50
No. 3—with legs..... 97.50

An abundance of hot water when you want it—the turning on of any hot water faucet opens the gas supply valve in the heater, which is ignited by the little pilot fire. Safe, economical, efficient—fully guaranteed. Come with either right or left valve control. Hot water at all hours when you want it—at a low cost.

—Stove Department—basement

WESTERN ELECTRIC WASHER

165.00 1924 model
15.00 down—12.50 month

It is easy to wash with this improved model "Western Electric" washer. No more back-breaking labor—just put your clothes in the cylinder, and when you take them out, after hot, soapy water has been forced through them time and time again—you'll find a sweet, clean wash—and whole.

Simple and easy to operate. Fully guaranteed by the Western Electric Co.—a firm that has made electric appliances for over half a century.

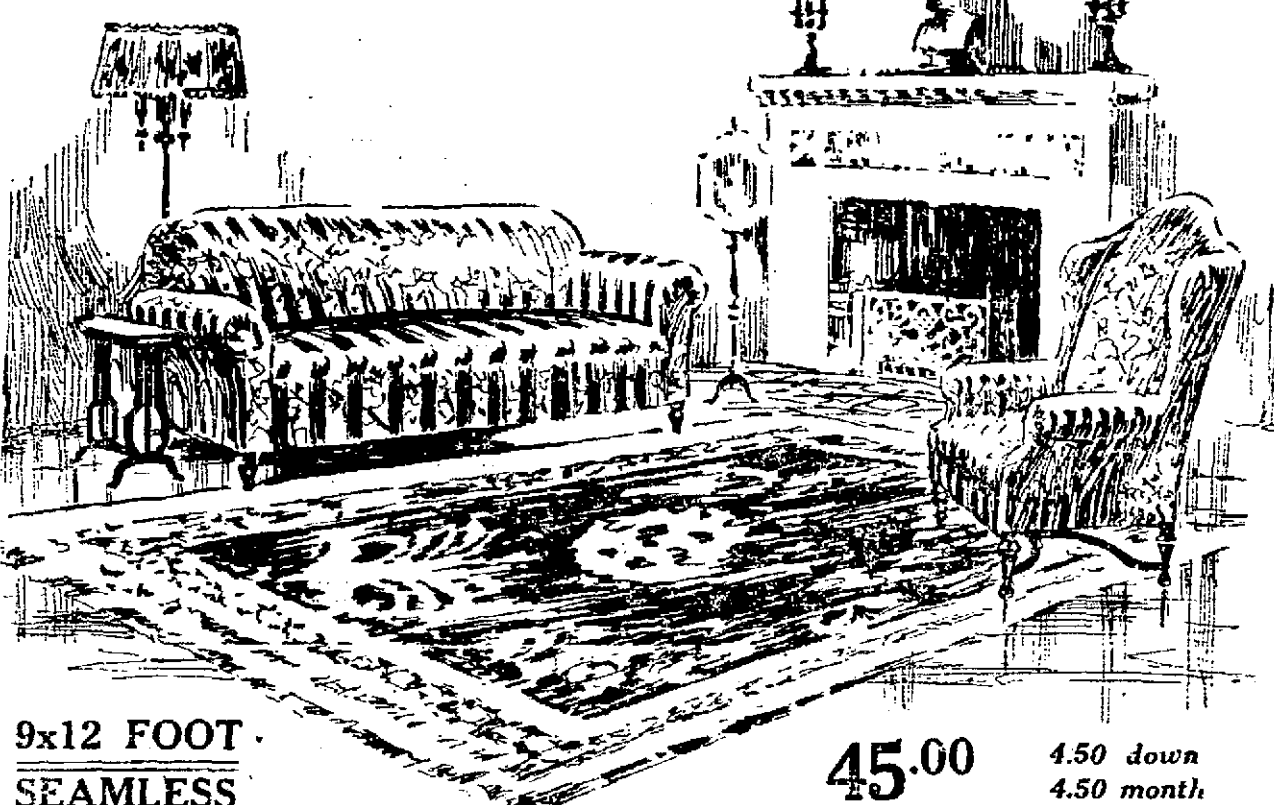
—Electrical Department, main floor.

LEATHER BAG 5.85

1.00 down 2.00 month

Black Walrus finish travelling bag with double catches—large 18-inch size. Leather lined with inside pockets; 25 to be sold. No telephone or C. O. D. orders.

Luggage Department, main floor.



9x12 FOOT SEAMLESS AXMINSTER ALL-WOOL RUGS

45.00 4.50 down 4.50 month

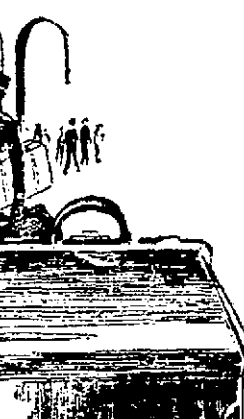
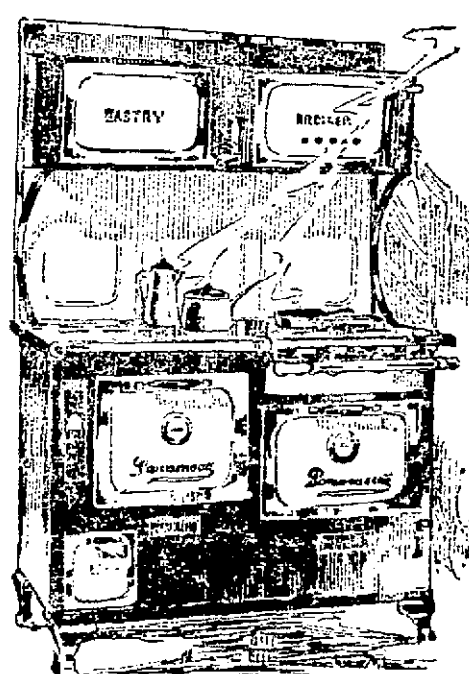
The popular room size. A splendid line of patterns, good quality rugs—a large selection. Seamless Axminsters—exceptional values. —Rug Dept., top floor.

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For coal, wood and gas. Malleable iron and porcelain construction—built by the makers of the nationally famous "Monarch Malleable Ranges." A beautifully built and finished combination range—as illustrated. Fully guaranteed—one that we recommend. Ask to see the new "Monarch Electric" Ranges—all sold on easy terms at the standard cash prices.

—Stove Department, basement

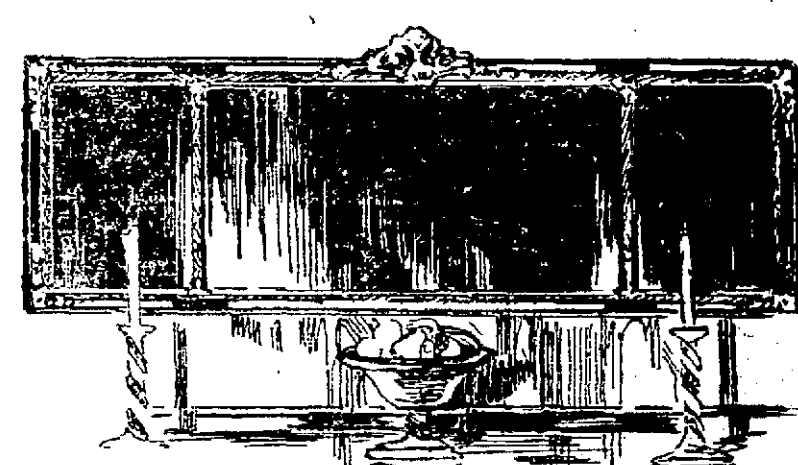


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We are specializing here in bed davenports that are totally without that clumsy appearance so often found in pieces of furniture of this type. Here is one that, to see it closed, you wouldn't know concealed a comfortable bed. Easily opened and easily closed—well built and finished—upholstered in a good grade of genuine leather. One of many styles being shown.



11.85

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POLYCHROME MANTEL MIRRORS—

Slightly imperfect—suitable for over the mantel or buffet. Size 15 1/2 x 49 inches—as illustrated; Polychrome finish, with high lights of burnished gold. Just 37 in this lot—slightly imperfect. On sale Monday and Tuesday while they last. Positively no exchanges.

—Gift Shop, main floor.

Axminster Carpet

2.75 yard —not laid

3.00 yard—laid and lined

Usual Easy Terms

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—Carpet Department, top floor

Filet Type Curtains—

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ivory and ecru.
Some lace pair
trimmed—others with
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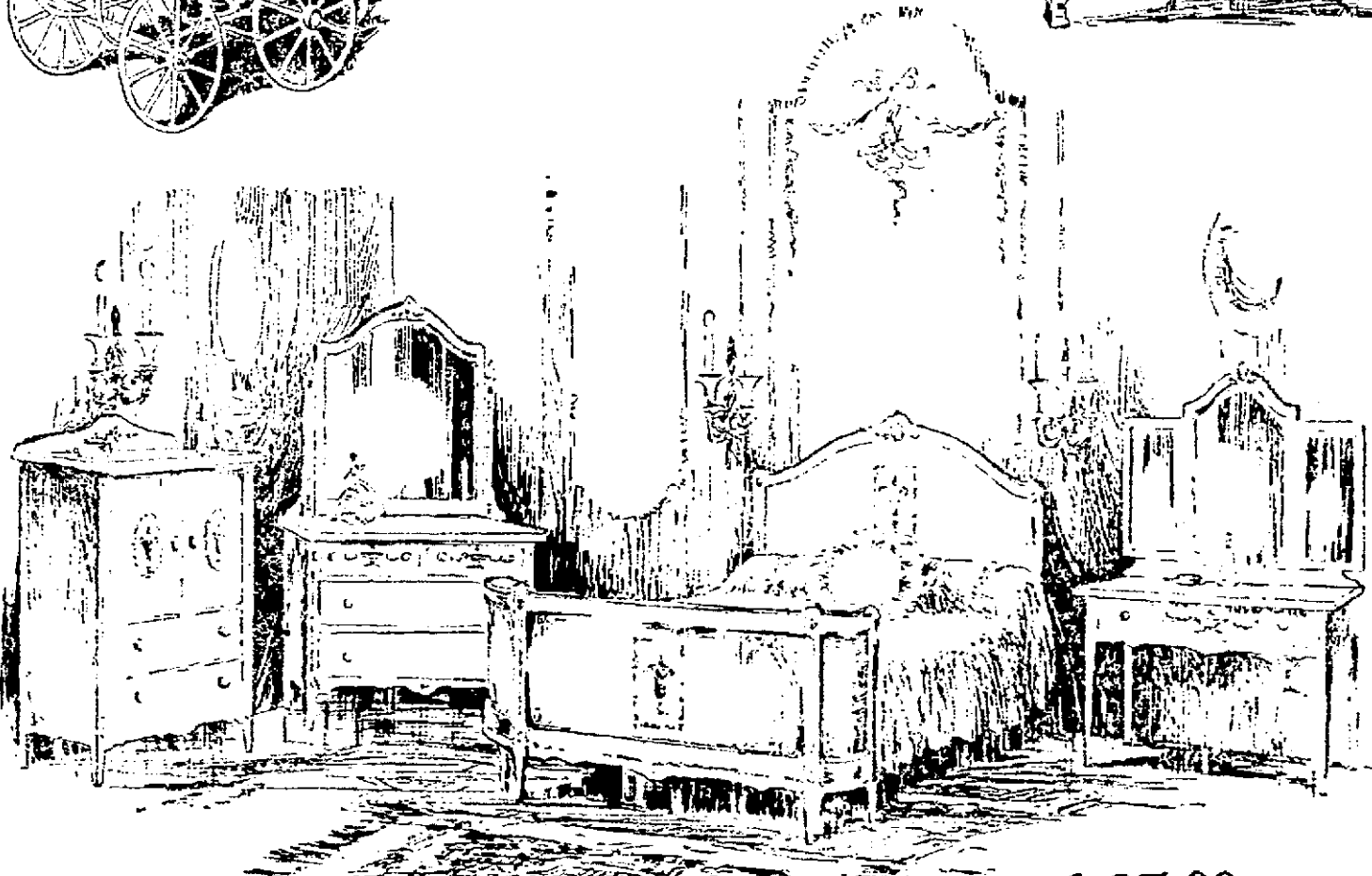


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As illustrated—a splendid value. Applied carving—period motif; attractive lines. Chiffonier, Wing Mirror Dressing Table, Dresser and Double Bow-Foot Bed. One of many new bedroom sets.

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The well-known "Martha Washington" shape, exactly as illustrated. Decorated with the new "Love Nest" pattern—two white doves in a light blue medallion framed in a brown ornamental figure with pink rose sprays. Each piece has a gold line around the edge and the cups and covered pieces have gold handles.

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RUSSIA'S GIANT AIRSHIP TO RACE WORLD TO POLE

Prize, 1,000,000 Square Miles of Uncharted Land, Eagerly Sought.

By JOSEPH S. ROGERS, Universal Service Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Russia, the world's greatest Arctic power, has the best chance to claim the 1,000,000 square miles of uncharted territory believed to be near the North Pole.

This is the belief being expressed in aeronautical circles, following the announcement from Moscow by Maxim Litvinov, deputy foreign commissar of Russia, who admitted that the Soviet is building a giant dirigible, "Lenin," for exploration in the polar regions this summer.

Announcement that Russia has entered what is expected to be the most sensational international race in all history—a race which has for its prize a land believed to hold millions of dollars' worth of oil—brings the possible entrance in the

"Great Air Derby" up to five. They are:

1. United States.
2. England.
3. France.
4. Russia.
5. Norway.

So tremendous are the awards which await the fliers of these countries that the plans for the flights are being cloaked in the utmost secrecy. The race with representatives of five countries under the most severe hardships promises to outlive the wildest fiction.

While Norway at this writing seems to have the advantage because its explorers are already in the far north, they are being hampered by severe ice flows, according to the latest reports with the result that little or nothing is expected to be accomplished before spring.

It cannot be denied that the Russian dirigible, "Lenin," once they reach regions that are 50 to 70 degrees below zero.

Another big factor in favor of the Russian expedition will be that it will have the best chance to realize on the discovery of the "lost continent," which has been seen by Peary and other explorers. Being nearer to the North Pole than any of the other entrants, it would merely be a question of leading experts to a few hundred miles to "cash in" on any discovery.

U. S. Treason Law Stirs Bulgarian Row

SOFIA, Feb. 23.—A treason law, patterned after America's treason and sedition laws, is being bitterly debated in the Bulgarian National Assembly. The law, designed to counteract the activities of the Communist and Agrarian parties, has the support of a coalition of five parties opposing the Communists and the Agrarians. Bulgarian newspapers have been waging the campaign by printing the American law and comparing it with the proposed Bulgarian law.

The smallest full-grown horse in the world is 26 inches tall and weighs 11 pounds.

cries of natural resources that may be made.

Russia is in a strategic position to open up the new territory which, according to the opinion of various explorers, may be found to be fertile and warm. The warmth being supplied by volcanoes which may be in existence there.

Russia's entrance into the polar race is one of the best evidences yet given that the Soviet is determined to take its place as a leading factor in world's affairs.

Already a country of great natural resources, Russia is determined to carry out the policies of its late leader, Lenin, who always advocated active participation in all forms of exploration work.

That the new Russian dirigible is to be named "Lenin" is a tribute to the dead leader would be proud of were he alive today.

FOUR PLAYS OF UNUSUAL THEME WILL BE GIVEN

Dramatic "Pot-Pourri" to Be Presented by Codornices Club.

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—A dramatic "pot-pourri" in which four plays of unusual theme will be presented, is planned by the Codornices Club for next Tuesday night at the clubhouse, Euclid avenue and Euclid street.

Mrs. Herbert Sanford Howard, dramatic director of the club, is in charge of the program, which will be open to members and guests. Miss Carolyn Clemens is assisting Mrs. Howard in directing the performance with Gilbert Sully and A. J. Merv in charge of the scenery and Carol Aronovici directing the lighting.

Included in the cast for the plays are some of Berkeley's best known thespians. The plays and their participants are as follows:

"ASAPH" (A Rural Comedy by William O. Rice. Cast: Marjorie Himmels, Miss Mary Blinn.

In Club Play MISS FRANCES RINGHOLM, who will be seen in dramatic program planned by the Codornices club.



Miss Frances Ringholm

Y.W.C.A. AWAITING PROMPTER'S CALL

The Pa-Gem-Re Potpourri vaudeville show sponsored by the Young Women's Christian Association, will be presented on Friday and Saturday nights in the Webster street auditorium. The entertainment is given for the benefit of the fund which supports Miss Mary Page, a Berkeley girl, in Japan, the Enjoyed Girls club and the Girl Reserves.

Grand President Is Given Farewell Party

A joint reception and farewell party given by the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, Branch No. 1 to the grand president, Mrs. M. Miller and past president, Mrs. M. Galvin, Mrs. Galvin will leave on a tour of the world soon. The affair was held in St. Mary's hall.

Madame Louise Noe and Mrs. Leo Hanly were soloists accompanied by Harry Wadsworth. The hostesses of the afternoon were Mrs. Samuel Donohue, president; Mrs. P. Nugent Hanrahan, Mrs. A. Spencer, Miss Katherine Maher and Mrs. J. J. Cox.

Charles Lamb always wore a black coat, knickerbockers and black slippers.

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Two-tone walnut finish, hand-rubbed, attractively designed and well built, a remarkable value at only

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Walnut China Cabinet, \$46.75

In the popular Queen Anne period design, distinctively graceful, decidedly attractive. It is a piece to be proud of, priced so low as to be an unusually good value! Special at—

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Italian Renaissance Dining Table

Terms \$12 down, \$5 month.

In the Italian Renaissance design, of incomparable grace and beauty. Well made in every detail of workmanship, hand rubbed walnut finish; an exceptional value at—

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Mission Oak Library Set

Set includes library table, arm chair and rockers, one with disappearing footrest. Deeply upholstered spring cushions, in brown imitation Spanish leather. On easy terms. Exceptional bargain at.....

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THE SOUL CALL
(A Little Play by Stephen Leacock)
Cost: Edna Brewster, Mrs. Herbert S. Howard Jr., Lionel Barrett, Cyril Ambler, Mable Chown, Miss Mary Blinn, Charles Chown, Roy Marsh, Annie, Mrs. George H. Stevens, Meadows, A. A. Riggs

THE GOLDEN ARROW
(A Medical Romance by James Whitist Weber)
Cost: Miss Frances Ringholm, Gilbert Sully, Father Ambler, A. J. Merv, The Singer, Mrs. Charles Wickard

THE EAST
(An Interlude)
Cost: Shipwrecked Herod, Emil Goshie, Shipwrecked Hero, Gilbert Sully

DISORDER IN CHINA BRINGS DISUNITY AND BANKRUPTCY

SHANGHAI, Feb. 23.—China, vast land of monotonous gloom, started the new year in the veriest depths of chaos and despair.

Politically and financially, the great Oriental nation is everything but down and out.

Fundamentalism is rampant. The iron heel of militarism stalks from the Yellow Sea on the east clear through to the Tibet in the west, from the China Sea on the south to the far northern reaches of outer Mongolia.

Fully 1,350,000 soldiers are under arms in China today, commanded by scores of mutually hostile and grasping leaders, each intent upon furthering his own ambitious ends regardless of any and all disastrous consequences.

BANDITS EVERYWHERE.

Banditry and lawlessness of the most savage nature prevail in almost every province, with the so-called constitutional authorities either unable or unwilling to cope with the situation. Unpaid soldiers form the nucleus of many a bandit chieftain's following.

Travel through many sections of inner China is not to be attempted without the escort of heavily armed men. Pirate outrages against river shipping has reached such proportions that foreign warships are an absolute necessity to keep the inland waterways open to traffic. And in spite of this vigilance, pirate raids are an almost daily occurrence.

Politically, China at the present time is divided into numerous parties and cliques, every one of which is greedy for power so that its members may exploit the misfortune of their less fortunate countrymen, who seem to be too listless to adequately protect themselves.

China is on the verge of bankruptcy. She is falling in more for obligations—internal or international. The policy seems to be to pay only obligations which can no longer be thrust aside. The treasury has been plundered so long by scheming politicians and militarists that the financial situation has become desperate.

BANKRUPTCY LOOMS.

On December 31, 1923, China's secured bonds amounted to something like \$1,000,000,000; unsecured bonds to \$576,911,000 while principal and overdue interest at the end of December totaled \$2,252,140.

For months troops have been unpaid and a similar state of affairs exists with regard to thousands of government employees at Peking and various frontier embassies, legations and consulates. A financial emergency is staring at Peking, and a readjustment of finance, but up to now no solution has been put forward. Furthermore, there is no reason to expect practical results from the financial commission, however its recommendations, as there is every likelihood that the militarists will continue to dominate the government, whether Tso Kuo is ousted or not.

Whist Party To Aid U. P. P. E. C. Lodge

SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 23.—All is readiness for a whist party to be given on Monday evening by members of Council No. 6, U. P. P. E. C., at the Masonic hall. This is the first of a series of such affairs to be given for the purpose of raising funds for the benefit of the lodge. Following are the members of the committee in charge: Mrs. Mary Faustina, chairman; Mrs. Rosa Lopez, Mrs. D. Quadros, Mrs. Minnie Mello.

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The smart woman will choose from soft-toned mixtures, hairline stripes and plaids, tweeds, tricotine and Poret twill, in colors of rosewood, sandal, brown, navy and gray combinations.

There are two distinct coat lengths, the shorter rounded jacket, and the hip length coat, slightly fitted at the waist. The skirts are severely plain, a great many are of the wrap-around type. The reverses are long.

Note: As for accessories, the ultra-fashionable tailored waist with high or Peter Pan collar, four-in-hand tie or stock, a brilliant kerchief for the coat pocket and a snowy gardenia for the left lapel, completes the BOYISH TAILLEUR.

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SCHOOL EDITORS WILL CONVEGE AT STANFORD IN MAY

Sigma Delta Chi Calls Gathering of Young Journalists for Discussion.

A state high school convention of editors and business managers of high school publications is to be held at Stanford University, Friday and Saturday, May 2 and 3. The convention is under the supervision of the Stanford Journalistic organization, Sigma Delta Chi, composed of students preparing for work in the newspaper profession.

ALL HIGH SCHOOLS INVITED. Invitations have been sent to every high school in the state to send as delegates editors and business managers of weekly papers and annuals. Of these, 27 schools from northern, southern and central California have given definite statements that they will have delegates present.

OAKLAND REPRESENTED. It was decided at the last principals' conference that each high school of Oakland will send one student representative. The program of the convention will include:

Addresses by newspaper men active in the profession. Discussion of the best methods of electing editors and business managers.

Prizes will be awarded for the best high school paper. For the best annual and for the best essay on "Managing a High School Paper."

Certificates will be awarded for the best editorial, news story, "make up," feature story, humor column, short story in annual and advertisement from standpoint of originality.

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Yokohama Exports Show Swift Revival

(By International News Service.)
TOKYO, Feb. 23.—Most conclusive proof of the ability of the port of Yokohama to "come back" following its complete destruction was given out at the office of the Admiral Oriental Line recently when it was stated that during December, the Japanese liner, a Shipping Board steamer, took from the port of Yokohama 4,304 bales of raw silk, the largest single shipment of the entire year. Thus less than four months after the disaster Yokohama shipped more in a single shipment than it had sent to the United States at any other previous time during the entire year. The largest previous shipment of silk to the United States during the year 1923 was 4,292 bales shipped in January.

Invalid Nabbed For Running Bar

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 23.—A complete barroom, elaborately equipped to serve liquor in a single glass or in wholesale quantities, operated by Ernest Greer, an invalid, recently was discovered by local prohibition agents near Brookwood, Ala.

Greer was removed to the county jail on a stretcher. His lower limbs are paralyzed as a result of an accident some months ago. Officers quoted him as saying he had no other means of earning a livelihood.

Agents conducting the raid said they confiscated sixty bottles of home brew and a quantity of whiskey, together with all the furnishings used in an old-time barroom.

Poisoner of 21 Is Dead of Own Potions

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 23.—The mysterious deaths of 21 persons was solved by the finding of a diary in the home of Ali Bakur, a Turkish chemist, when it was searched after he was found dead. The diary disclosed that Bakur had poisoned all of the 21 persons, 13 men and 8 women, for revenge. He began his poisoning operations seven years ago. The poison which he had used to kill others caused his own death, but he is believed to have taken it accidentally, as the diary showed he had listed eight other men and women for death.

Bride 91, Groom 71, In Sickroom Romance

HEREFORD, Eng., Feb. 23.—A sickroom romance culminated in the wedding here of Miss Anne Stowe, aged 91, and George E. Taylor, aged 71. Fifteen years ago Miss Stowe, then 76, was called in to nurse Taylor through a dangerous illness. He remained a semi-invalid for many years with the nurse caring for him constantly. Recently he regained his health, and decided that he wanted Miss Stowe to become his wife. She refused several times, but finally consented to marry him.

SENATE WANTS THOSE WHO MADE MONEY IN OIL

Women's SPORT HOSE 79c
Wool or silk and wool; plain or fancy mixtures; \$1.50 to \$1.95 values—pair.

CHILDREN'S SILK HALF SOCKS: Sample line; some slightly damaged; if perfect would sell for \$1.65—pair. **50c**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE: Full fashioned; very elastic; watter top, reinforced foot, high applied heel; good assortment of new shoe shades; \$1.95 value—pair. **\$1.50**
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Yard..... **5c**
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Black, white, and wanted colors. **5c**
Spool..... **5c**
(W. & S.—Main Floor)

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Folks: Next to making money comes saving it. They say a dollar saved is a dollar made. We help you keep more of your OWN dollars in your OWN pockets. That's making money for you. Our often advertised statement that we "Can and Do" sell good, clean, staple merchandise cheaper than any other store in Oakland is no idle boast.
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You can save money in the Optical Department. First quality curved lenses, zylite frame. Pair..... **10c**
P. T. BLACK
Optometrist
(Balcony—W. & S.)

Wash Laces For Spring Sewing
Val Lace
Bolt of **12 yds. 50c**
CAMISOLE LACES: All white or with a touch of dainty color. Yard..... **10c**
PILLOW CASE or BED SPREAD LACE: White with pink, blue, or yellow. Yard..... **5c**
Embroidery Edgings
For trimming underwear; firm edges. Yard..... **10c**
(W. & S.—Main Floor)

Special Sale Values on Rugs and Draperies

LACE NETS: Neat designs; 34 inches wide; ivory or ecru. **25c**
Special, yard..... **25c**

FISH NET WEAVE: 50 inches wide. Effective crossbar patterns; ecru; 65c value. Special, yard..... **45c**

CRETONNE: Many handsome patterns; 36 inches wide. **39c**
Special value, yard..... **39c**

Tapestry Brussels Rugs
Many pretty patterns; 27x52 inches. Special value, each, **\$2.95**

Marquisette CURTAINS
Fine quality hemstitched, 2 1/2 yards long, slight mis-weave; \$1.75 value. Special, pair, **98c**
(Whithorne & Swan—Third Floor)

1000 yards Felt Base Floor Covering
Many pretty patterns; 2 yards wide; 74c value. Special, square yard, **47c**

The Most Popular Spring Woolens

On Sale Monday
Wool Flannel

54-inch. Tans, grays, and the new sport colors; all wool and only, yard,

\$1.95

500 YARDS, 36-inch LINGETTE and COTTON CHAMBRAY: Black and colors; big line; 59c

seconds of the 5c quality. Yard..... **59c**

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38-inch. Silk and wool canton; many styles and colors. Low priced, yard..... **\$2.39**
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"SIN MAID" RAISINS: Seeded or seedless. 10c value—Monday, each..... **10c**

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"Ghirardellis" Ground Chocolate

One-pound tin..... **23c**
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WEST INFLUENCE FELT BY WRITERS, DECLARES EDITOR

Karl Harriman, on Visit,
Says Fiction Demand
Changes Often.

"The influence of the West on fiction writing cannot be estimated, but it is certainly more important than the influence of any other geographical section of the world," in the opinion of Karl Harriman, editor of the Red Book magazine, at the guest of Gerald Beaumont, 609 Santa Ray avenue, one of the leading contributors to Red Book magazine.

"This is my first visit to Oakland, although I was in San Francisco and along the Pacific coast once before some twenty years ago. I'm coming back, though. Usually I take my vacations in Colorado, but this year I'm going to bring my family to the bay region."

Harriman has been the managing editor of the Red Book for five years, and previous to his appointment to that position was editor of the "Ladies' Home Journal" for eight years. He arrived in Oakland yesterday, coming from Chicago. With Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont, he left early today for Los Angeles and Tijuana, from where he will return to his work in Chicago.

WESTERN LIFE INFLUENCE.
Discussing the influence of western life on fiction writing, Harriman said that from a half to two-thirds of all successful fiction writers have either lived in the West in earlier years or are residents of the West now. He picked up at random an old issue of the Red Book, and pointed out in the table of contents that nearly half of the contributors were either western men, or writers who have traveled extensively in the West.

"There may be something in the prodigious nature of our surroundings here, or the great distances and sizes of things that stimulates the imaginations of writers," he said.

"Fiction has a queer way of changing—a change that comes from the changing demands of the public. For instance, following the war for two or three years there was an unprecedented demand for stories of the South Sea Islands, although travel stories of Europe simply could not be read. Stories of Europe—all of them—had some of the war reactions as their basis, and people were sick of the war and of all references to the war. They turned to the south seas to find the only place where the war and its widespread ramifications had not penetrated.

FEELING STORIES HAVE RUN.
"In the same way, we ran psycho stories for a year or so after the war ended because the tremendous loss of life during the war had interested people in the possibilities of communication with the hereafter. Today those stories would interest only a small fraction of the same people who read them so much in 1918 and 1919.

"There is that journalistic element to the selection of stories for magazines today. There are stories, however, that are successful without a timely interest. Psychological studies—character studies—studies of types or men common at all times are always in demand when they are well done."

Harriman admitted that there seemed to be a tendency toward the elimination of many magazines of national circulation. He said that he believed that magazines of upwards of half a million circulation would grow larger and maintain themselves with even more success, but that other magazines would be forced to become "group" magazines, appealing to people of one organization, profession, or common interest.

"I don't believe that there is any such thing as a saturation point for magazines," he said. "There may be magazines with circulations of five and ten millions in the years to come."

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Bride-to-Be
MISS ERICA E. BRAUN
of San Francisco, who is to be married to George E. Shelden, prominent Oakland business man.



**S. F. BELLE WILL
WED OAKLANDER**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Miss Erica E. Braun of 439 Twenty-first avenue, San Francisco, will be married to George E. Shelden, prominent Oakland business man, tomorrow at noon. The ceremony will take place in St. Mark's Lutheran church, 1133 O'Farrell street. Rev. H. S. Felix will perform the ceremony.

Miss Braun is a San Francisco girl, having lived in the city since she was a child. She has been tendered several showers and afternoon teas.

She is the daughter of Franz Braun, a prominent insurance broker of this city. She will be assisted at the church by her sister, Frances Bertich, who will be matron of honor. The wedding will be formal and after the wedding a reception will be held at the Palace Hotel, where a dinner will be given to her friends, after which dancing will be enjoyed.

Portent will sing "Ave Maria" at the close of the wedding.

Shelden is a popular club and business man of Oakland and is secretary-manager of the Uptown Association. He was formerly traffic manager of the Oakland Traction Company.

Shelden has for some years taken part in Oakland's civic affairs and has been mentioned often as a possible candidate for mayor of the city. Clarence E. Shelden, brother of the groom, will act as best man. Immediately after the reception the couple will leave for Los Angeles and Pasadena, where they will spend a short honeymoon. They will make their home in Oakland.

MOTHERS WILL BE WELCOMED AT MOUNTAIN VIEW

Sixth District Congress to Be
Guest of Parent-Teacher
Association.

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Feb. 23.—Sixth district, California Congress of Mothers, will meet in an important session here Friday as the guest of the Mountain View Parent-Teacher association. Tribute to the work of those women who twenty-seven years ago founded the National Congress of Mothers, will be offered during the day.

Among the leaders who will be guests of honor are:

Mrs. Edgar De Arman, of San Jose, first vice president, National Congress of Mothers; Mrs. David O. Mears, of Washington, National Child Welfare Day chairman; Mrs. Hugh Bradford of Sacramento, president California Congress of Mothers; Mrs. R. L. Cardiff, of Santa Cruz, state first vice president; Mrs. John Sheehan, of San Francisco, state publicity chairman; Mrs. H. K. Pierce of Santa Cruz, state thrift chairman; Mrs. Fred Doerr, of San Jose, state philanthropy chairman; Mrs. G. F. Keil, of San Francisco, second district president; Mrs. W. A. Smith, of San Francisco, Federation president, and Mrs. W. G. Hayes, of Burlingame, San Mateo county, Federation president.

The counties included in the sixth district are: San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito, Santa Cruz and Santa Clara. A large representation will be present from parent-teacher associations within the district.

Among the chairmen who will report are: Philanthropy, Mrs. Lanning, of Hollister; Child Labor, Mrs. A. W. Johnson, of Palo Alto; recreation, Mrs. F. C. Royce, of Santa Cruz.

**Wife Prefers S. F. to
Turlock; Wins Suit**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Turlock was pitted against San Francisco in the marital affairs of George L. Hosmer, draftsman and his wife, Evelyn, who lives at 717 Sutter street in this city. At least this was the development today when Mrs. Hosmer obtained a divorce decree from Superior Judge Van Orstrand. She said she didn't want to live in Turlock and he refused to live in San Francisco. Moreover, she asserted he had insisted on her working in order that they might keep up appearances far beyond his sole income.

**Campfire Guardians
To Meet in Council**

CROCKETT, Feb. 23.—A grand council meeting of Camp Fire Guardians will be held in the Community Auditorium on Monday, March 10. Mrs. Margaret Kibbe, president of the Eastbay Guardians Association, will be the principal speaker.

Campfire organizations from Redwood, Pinole, Selby, Tormey, Martinez and Crockett will participate.

Things they Ask the Tribune

"Kindly publish a recipe for ice box cake."

The recipe for ice box cake, a type of cake which needs no baking, is as follows: One cup butter, 1-3 cup powdered sugar, 12 pound almonds, blanched, browned in oil and run through food chopper. Cream butter and sugar, and add three whole eggs, one at a time, beating from three to five minutes between each egg. Then add the yolks of the other three eggs, beating some minutes between each, then beat in the units. Lastly fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the three eggs. Take a deep mold or cake tin, line it with wax paper, put in a smooth layer of the ladyfingers, then a layer of the mixture, a layer of macaroons, a layer of the mixture, and so alternate until all of the mixture and cakes are used. Set in the ice box for 24 hours or longer. In serving, turn out on a plate. Take one pint cream, sweetened, flavored with vanilla and whipped stiff. Cover the cake with it, cut and serve. This recipe makes enough to serve 12 persons.

"Kindly inform me through The TRIBUNE as to the exact date last year of the big snow storm in Berkeley."

The TRIBUNE Information Bureau will answer all questions of a general nature except school or legal problems, debates, trade and firm names and queries as to the time of day.

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INSURANCE MEN TO MEET AT NILES

HAYWARD, Feb. 23.—Insurance brokers of Hayward are being advised of a meeting of the Alameda County Insurance Association at the Belvoir hotel at Niles next Friday night, February 29. Members and non-members from this city are urged by Samuel C. Smith of Hayward, vice-president of the association, to attend.

The stated aim of the association being to prevent "part time" insurance agents from operating and depriving legitimate brokers of possible fees, recommendation of authorized dealers for the various towns and cities of lower Alameda county will be made. The recommendations will be referred to the insurance commissioner at San Francisco.

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Leap Year Dance Planned by Legion

Plans are complete for the Leap Year Dance to be given by the Oakland Post No. 5, American Legion, at Moose Hall, next Tuesday night, according to announcement by Elmer Zollner, chairman of the Post's entertainment committee. According to Zollner, a number of special features have been arranged for the dance, at which ladies are to reign supreme. The ladies will call upon the bashful Legionnaires for dances, instead of the usual opposite arrangement. An excellent orchestra has been secured for the occasion, and indications now are that there will be a large attendance of Legionnaires and their ladies. The committee wishes to extend

an invitation to all former service men, even though not members of the Legion at this time, to be present at the dance and take part in the evening's program.

Business Women to Hear Former Leader

Mrs. Edward Dexter Knight, a past president of the California Federation of Women's clubs, will be the speaker on the dinner program of the section of business and professional women of the College Women's club on Tuesday evening. "Business Women and Economics," is announced as her subject. Dr. Eudora Axtell, chairman, will preside. The dinner hour has been changed to 6 o'clock. Reservations are being made with Dr. Axtell, Berkeley 1860W.

MEDICINE URGED TO UNITE EFFORTS WITH RELIGION

There Is Inseparable Union
Between Soul and Body,
Says Doctor.

(By International News Service, BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Feb. 23)—Nine-tenths of all surgical operations performed today are uncalled for. Successful treatment of disease in the future must come through the church as well as the physician.

So contends Dr. Mary A. Snowe, of Johnson City, famous as a nerve specialist, and one of the best known women practitioners in the east.

"There is an inseparable union of the soul and body," Dr. Snowe declares. "To a large extent medicine, surgery and drugless methods of healing and the Church of Jesus Christ must work together if we would treat and heal mankind suc-

cessfully. Sufferers should be treated physically, mentally, spiritually and socially. It is safe to estimate that eight out of every ten of the patients treated by me for stomach and bowel trouble, heart trouble, liver trouble and all kinds of nervousness are really suffering from fear, worry, anxiety, grief—all of which are wrecking the nerves of mankind. The more active the brain, the more sensitive the nerves."

"When the victims of fear, nervousness find no relief in medicine they often turn to the church, and unfortunately too many ministers are so full of theology that they fail to recognize the mind has a definite influence over the body and religion is a powerful factor both in the cause and cure of disease."

"Let us believe, with St. Paul, that a man has a natural body as well as a spiritual body. The physical man is not the whole man. There must be a co-operation—for the soul helps the flesh and the flesh, sold and body need healing."

"LIFE'S THROW-OUT." ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Miss Irene Marshall, testifying in a damage suit, characterized herself as "one of life's throw-outs, a widow three times."

WHITE COATS FOR BLUECOATS. CHICAGO — The police department has under consideration a plan to attire crossing officers in white to make them more conspicuous.

FEDERAL POWER POLICY AWAITS INVESTIGATION

Diversion of Water From
Three California Rivers to
Depend on Survey.

By LEO A. McCLATCHY

(By Special Wire to The Tribune)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The future policy of the federal power commission in reference to authorizing for power development purposes, diversion of water from the American, Stanislaus and Trinity rivers, will be shaped after receipt of a report the commission expects next month from a board of engineers which has been making a survey of the three rivers.

The commission will not issue any permits for power projects on these three streams until the report has been received and a plan has been agreed upon for future guidance.

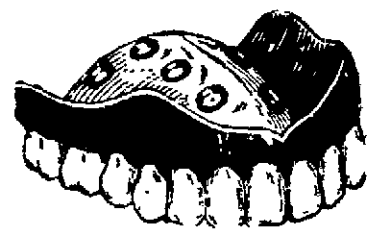
structed to determine upon the best scheme of development on the four sections of food, cotton, power, irrigation and hydraulic mining. It will report on the acreage that is susceptible of being irrigated by the three rivers, and from that, determine upon the amount of water available for diversion. "The investigation," on the Trinity and Stanislaus rivers is reported to have been completed, but further work still is to be done on the American from which stream the city of Sacramento is seeking to take water for municipal power purposes. Report on the feasibility of the proposed Sacramento undertaking, which some government engineers have described as being "too visionary," will be included in the report that will be filed with the commission on the general situation in reference to the American river.

The board is composed of D. C. Henny of the United States reclamation bureau, chairman, U. S. Grant III, war department district engineer, San Francisco; E. W. Kramer, first service engineer, San Francisco, and Paul W. Bailey, representing the state of California. The work which the commission assigned to the board was undertaken more than six months ago, and because of requests that have been coming into Washington to expedite action on the application from the city of Sacramento, the commission has sent out a request that the board complete its work as soon as possible.

Divorce Outcome of Removal to Alaska

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Charlotte Hedger, 645 Fifth street, was granted a divorce de facto today by Superior Judge Trout

dentist, on the ground of cruelty. The wife testified that the doctor had been cruel to her and had practically lived apart from her since he moved to Alaska from Victoria, B. C., on April 3, 1920, from Dr. Lee Strahn Hedger, a



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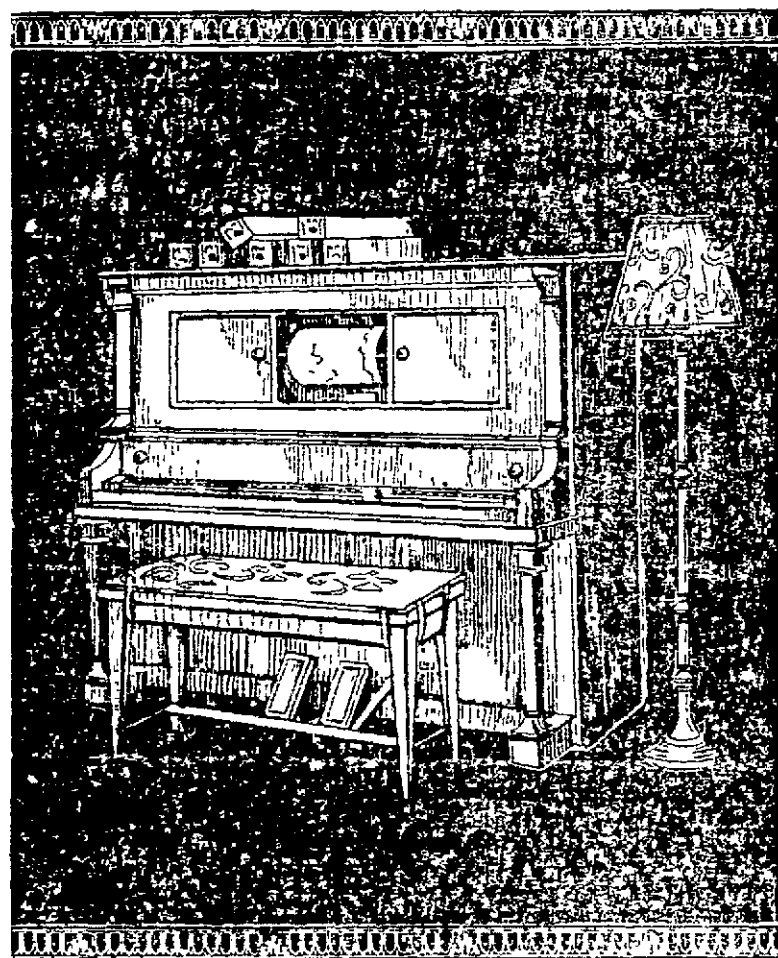


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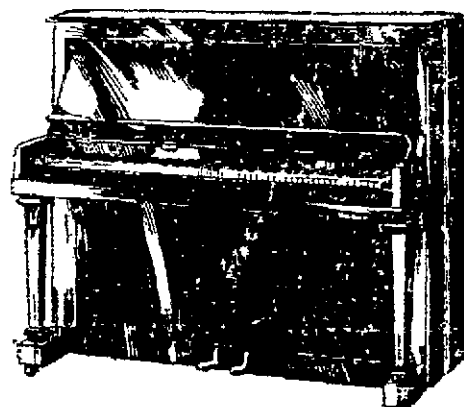
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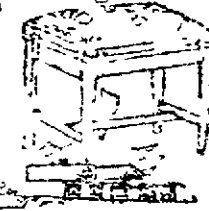


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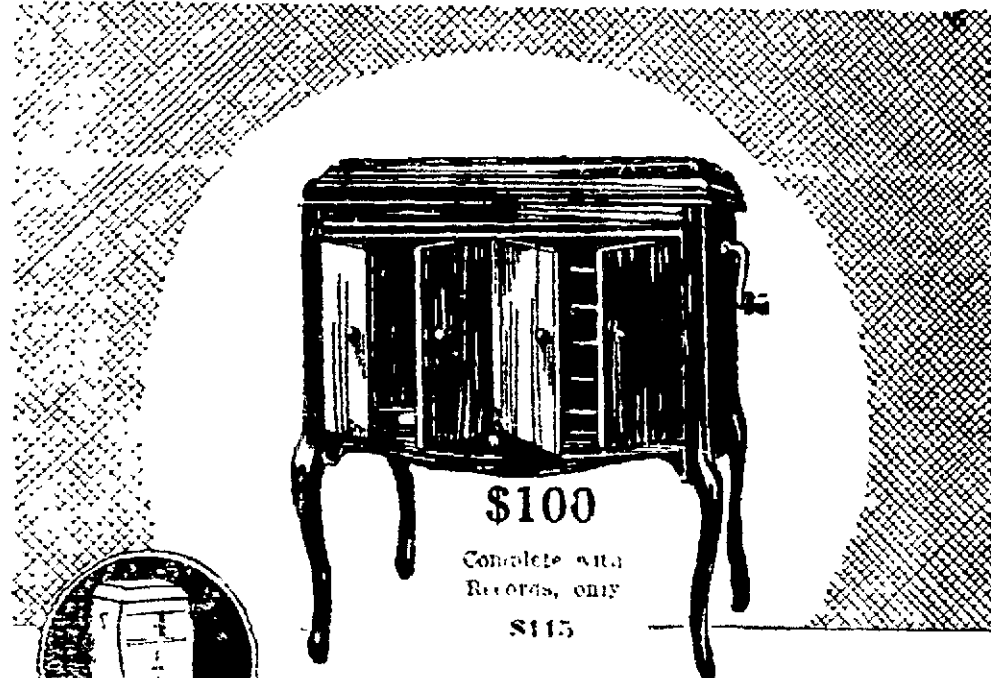
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BOY MURDERER OF PARENTS SAYS HE WAS 'INFLUENCED'

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BY UNITED PRESS
LEAST WIRE TO TRIBUNE
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 23.—Frank McDowell, 20-year-old slayer of his parents and two sisters, today pleaded against infirmities that he is a diabolical murderer, carefully planning his crimes for weeks in advance.
"I never planned any killings at all," declared the boy, who impatiently awaits the final chapter of his brief career, which he believes will be death in the electric chair.
"I was under the control of something else—my subconscious mind controlled me," McDowell said, explaining the murder of his parents here February 12 and the burning to death of his two sisters in Decatur, Ga., on the same date a year ago to atone for his own "sin against the Holy Ghost."
"When I realized what I had

done, I was horrified. Just before my crimes I was a Christian, then I became horrified at the enormity of my sins and returned to my atheism."

The boy was virtually exhausted today as a result of the strain his mind has been under.

CAFE MAN WON'T SELL RABBIT, SO PATRON TAKES IT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—A pet rabbit which had been one of the chief magnets at the restaurant of Gus Haines, 2933 Eighteenth street, is missing. According to Haines, the rabbit can perform most of the tricks usually taught to dogs and he has had numerous offers for it. All have been refused. Last night Jack Terzhinka appeared with a lady and insisted on buying the rabbit, according to Haines. When he refused to sell, he charges, Terzhinka put the little animal in his pocket and walked away with him. He obtained a warrant for Terzhinka's arrest today from Police Judge Golden.

MASSAGE PERMITS CONCERN
LONDON.—His lord crawling just as his concert began, Pablo Casals the Spanish cellist had to postpone his part of the program until his fingers could be "massaged."

HABEL IN COURT
NEW YORK.—The man who was called in to translate the testimony of Mikol Nark, a court witness. They tried three languages before they hit on English.

Berkeley Players
IRVING PICHEL of the Berkeley Playhouse and two members of the cast of "This Fine, Pretty World," to be directed by Pichel. Upper picture show LAURA STRAUB. Middle picture is of HATTIE MAY DELKIN.



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NY.—Miss Mary D. Cooper, who was concealed her age, directed that it should not be inscribed on her tombstone.

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DUBLIN.—Patrick Glynn, a farmer was sentenced to death for throwing his 15-month-old baby on the fire.

PICHEL TO PLAY ROLE IN COMEDY OF MOUNTAINS

The first production outside of New York of a play which Eastern critics unite in saying is perhaps the most significant yet written by an American will be made by Irving Pichel at the Berkeley Playhouse, Haste and Dana streets, next Wednesday and Thursday evenings. The play is Peter MacKay's latest work, a comedy of the Kentucky mountains, called "This Fine, Pretty World."

How to "get shot of a wife" is the theme of the play. Gully Maggot, a middle-aged hog ranch owner, conspires with Beem Fanching to denounce his wife, Maggot, to the world so that he can marry young Goldy Shoop. Beem, the central character in the play, will be played by Pichel himself. Pichel also directs the production.

Gully will be played by Edward Hogan. The other two principal male roles will be taken by Rowan Pease and Wilfred Rand.
Nancy Lane will play Mrs. Spratling and Zella King will assume the role of Mag. Laura Straub will take the part of Goldy Shoop. Miss Straub is a member of the sophomore class at the University of California, and is prominent in campus dramatics. She was chosen for the leading role in this year's Parthenon because she is said to have the best voice among the women on the campus.
"This Fine, Pretty World" will be played on Wednesday and Thursday nights of this week and the following two weeks. It will be followed by "Lillom."

Home Sought for Colored Boy of 13

The assistance of THE TRIBUNE has been asked in seeking a home for a 13-year-old colored boy. He is described as being right intelligent, healthy, and desirous of living in good home surroundings. Both his parents are dead.
It is requested that anyone desirous of providing him with a home get in touch with the Associated Charities by telephone.

Carpenters Hurt in Fall From Scaffold

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Arthur Dunnheim of 60 Oakland avenue, San Francisco, was fatally injured and Kenneth McTavish, 601 Alcatraz avenue, Berkeley, was hurt when they fell from the third floor of a new building on Howard street near Fourth this afternoon. Both men are carpenters. A piece of loose planking upon which they stepped gave way beneath them and they were hurled a considerable distance. Dunnheim suffered

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a fractured skull and broken wrist and is said to be dying at the Central Emergency hospital. McTavish had a lacerated nose, cut face and sprained wrist.

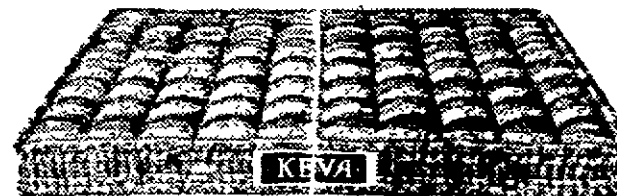
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Traffic Officers Hampered in
Catching Speeders, Citi-
zens Declare.

In keeping with their campaign to cut down traffic violations and eliminate automobile accidents and casualties which are caused by carelessness and recklessness, members of the East Bay Safety Council went on record last night opposing the law forcing officers to be in uniform before arresting motorists.

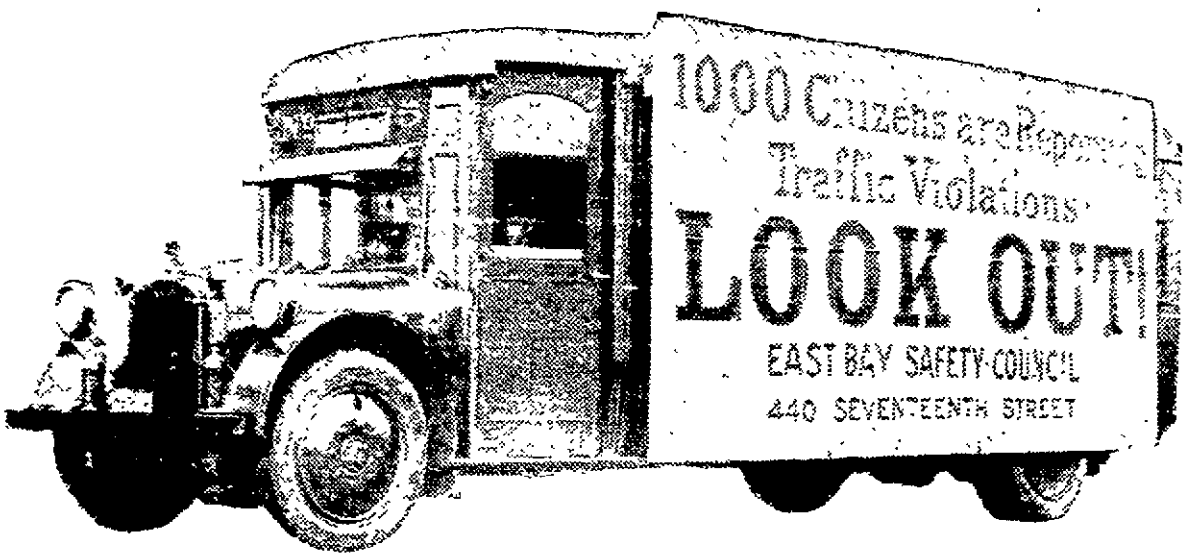
The stand taken by leaders of the council came as a result of a discussion of the constitutionality of the law by leading attorneys of this district. The law according to attorney members of the council, hampers the work of enforcement which the council has undertaken in co-operation with the police department and other officials. Many East Bay attorneys are affiliated with the council in an active way and these are said to have brought up the question of whether such a law can be enforced. It is said that no safe cracker, or murderer, would have the right to question his arrest because the officer was in plain clothes, and that in fact any citizen seeing a crime committed

has the right to make an arrest.

With 1000 citizens, members of the council, on watch to report violations of the traffic laws to the police the campaign was continued yesterday. A large passenger bus bearing the warning legend made its way through the principal streets of Oakland yesterday calling attention to the unofficial army connected with the Safety Council. The reporters of violations are selected by the council from among members of the service clubs. They carry printed cards upon which they inscribe the nature of the violation and the number of the automobile.

Passenger Bus Warns Automobilists

The vehicle used by the East Bay Safety Council yesterday to warn motorists that any infringements of traffic laws would be reported to the police. This bus was driven through the streets yesterday.



AMERICAN WILL ADOPT JAPANESE CITIZENSHIP

By DUKE N. PARRY,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

TOKYO, Feb. 22. — Japanese stoicism and human kindness as exhibited during the earthquake period have so impressed Professor Daniel Langford, Tokyo American and one time member of the staff of the Japanese Advertiser, that he has determined to give up his American citizenship and become a subject of the Emperor of Japan. Langford's decision to give up his American citizenship was followed by a cable to his wife and child in California, asking them to come at once to Japan for a permanent residence here as Japanese.

Langford is 42 years old and has been a resident of Honolulu and Japan for the last ten years. Four years ago, while Yokohama representative of the Japan Advertiser, Langford became interested in the study of shells, and in his work of improving his collection he traveled to the various seashores of Japan, always making his trips with Japanese friends. Thus he became acquainted with various professors in the Japanese universities, and he learned the way of living of the country. He served in various newspaper positions prior to the earthquake and then accepted a position as Professor of English at the Keio University of Tokyo.

ADMIRE THEM.

Langford says what he saw of the Japanese people during the earthquake period caused him to apply for citizenship here. Not only in one section of the country, but everywhere he traveled, says Langford, did he see exhibited a kind spirit toward foreigners, a stoicism which was most remarkable and an attitude of courage in the midst of the greatest disaster of modern times. On the day of the quake, Langford, accompanied by Mr. S. Ishibashi, of the Sanitary Department of the Metropolitan Police Bureau, was at Manazuru, on the seashore, collecting shells. The two men were in bathing suits, searching for shells, when the quake came. They saw a cliff slide down and bury their clothes and then saw the tide go out in such a manner as to indicate a tidal wave was coming. Giving up hope of getting their clothes, the two men fled toward the mountains and started a long walk to Yokohama, wearing only scanty bathing suits. On the road the Japanese village people, themselves afraid to sleep in their houses because of the expectation of another earthquake, gave Langford and his Japanese friend rice cakes, and water to drink. One man gave Langford his shirt when he saw that the American was shivering with cold. Others, seeing his feet were being cut by the stones, offered him straw sandals.

When Langford reached Tokyo

he immediately applied to the American Embassy, where he joined many other Americans in working to aid the refugees of Tokyo. For over a week he worked in the storehouse of the Embassy, issuing food to Americans and others from the supplies sent in by the ships of Admiral Anderson. All the time he was working to aid his own countrymen Langford was contemplating the possibility of abandoning his American citizenship and becoming a Japanese. Shortly after the relief work for Americans was finished, Langford announced his intention of applying for citizenship here.

"The humanity and stoicism of the Japanese have so impressed me," said Langford recently, "that I am willing to spend the remainder of my life among these people and to raise my family here. I am expecting my wife and baby here soon, and we will all look forward to a happy life among these brave people."

The number of living organisms in one single gram of soil exceeds 40,000,000.

A Texas detective arrested a burglar who carried an electric lamp in the palm of his glove.

The feathers of 90,000 geese were used recently in stuffing the pillows of a great American hotel.

Consumption of pork in the United States showed a heavy increase during the summer of 1923.

DELVINGS SHOW PHARAOH BELIEF IN DOUBLE SOUL

Mortal Part of Spirit Was
Entombed, According
to Egyptians.

(By International News Service.)

LUXOR, Feb. 9. — The ancient Egyptians, particularly during the period of the eighteenth dynasty—of which Tut-ankh-Amen was a member—had a temperament as full of sunshine as the Egyptian climate.

This is incontrovertibly proved by their aestheticism, refinement, generosity, love of music and flowers, and their developed capacity for light-hearted entertainment revealed by Egyptologists' recent discoveries.

Yet they had a remorseless loneliness seven miles across the Nile from Luxor the majestic sides of the Valley of the Tombs of Kings towered wildly in the air. Behind them the sun sets every evening, and it seems verily as if the sun were sinking into the very heart of the valley.

To the ancient Egyptians the sun, setting as it were into their royal cemetery, was symbolical of the soul, after the moment of death, passing into the shades of Amenti. But they did not believe that the spirit was composed wholly of the soul. They credited every human being with a spirit of two component parts. One was a soul closely akin to our modern conception of the spirit, while the other was "ka," or his double, "ka" to the ancient Egyptians represented the material life, while the soul was the divine spark emanating from divinity.

They believed that after death the soul passed before the gods for judgment.

If the deceased's life had been such as to warrant his admission ultimately into the Elysian Fields—and it was commonly apprehended that no man could live such a perfect life as to warrant his instantaneous admission into their pagan heaven—two beliefs the soul was condemned to a period of banishment or expiation, virtually

the same as the Roman Catholic religion today teaches, that blighted souls must expiate their offenses in purgatory before admission into heaven.

But the Egyptian ancients went even further. They believed that while the soul was wandering miserably in the muddy marshes of the Styx the material part of the spirit—the double or "ka" part—remained in the tomb of the mummy and had all the material needs of life.

For instance, it was currently believed the "ka" needed food, drink, furniture and clothing. Therefore Pharaoh, who in life moved amid beautiful palaces, rested on sumptuous furniture and subsisted only on royal fare, took the greatest care that his material needs after death were met in the style comparable to that amid which he lived.

His mausoleum was not merely his tomb. It was the palace of his "ka" in which he had to live perhaps for two or three thousand years, and it was most essential that he had no lack of the comforts of mortal life.

The discovery that when the soul had been cleansed of its blemishes it would enter the torso and re-unite with the body and the earthly spirit and that the then new and purified being would be allowed to cross the Styx and enter into the eternity of the Elysian Fields.

The discovery by Edward Carter and the late Lord Carnarvon at the tomb of Tut-ankh-Amen gave the Egyptian idea of the almost incredible richness of the ancient Egyptian funeral regalia.

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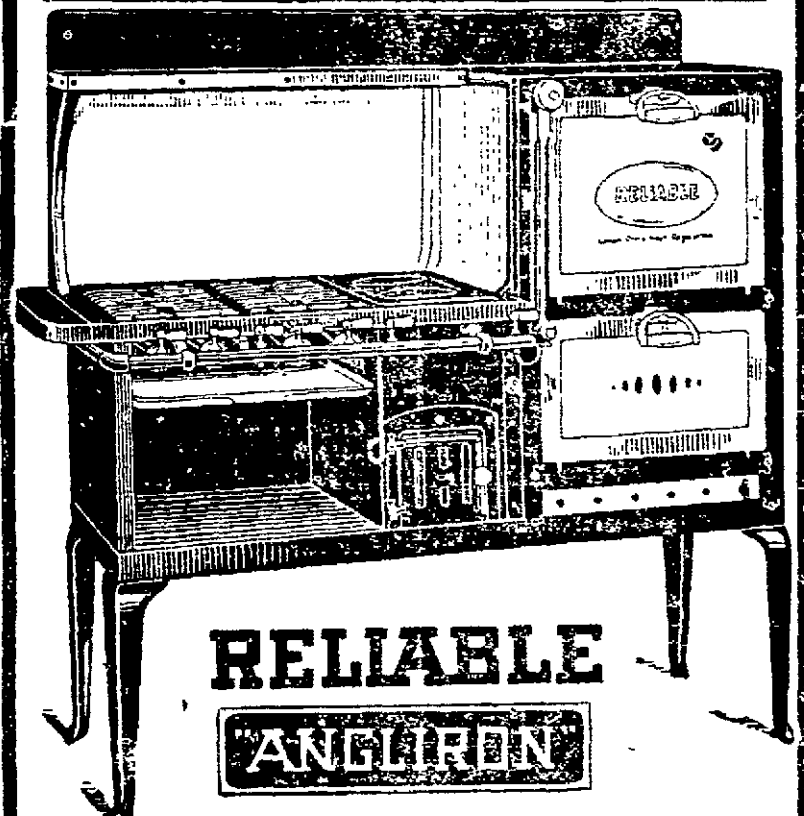
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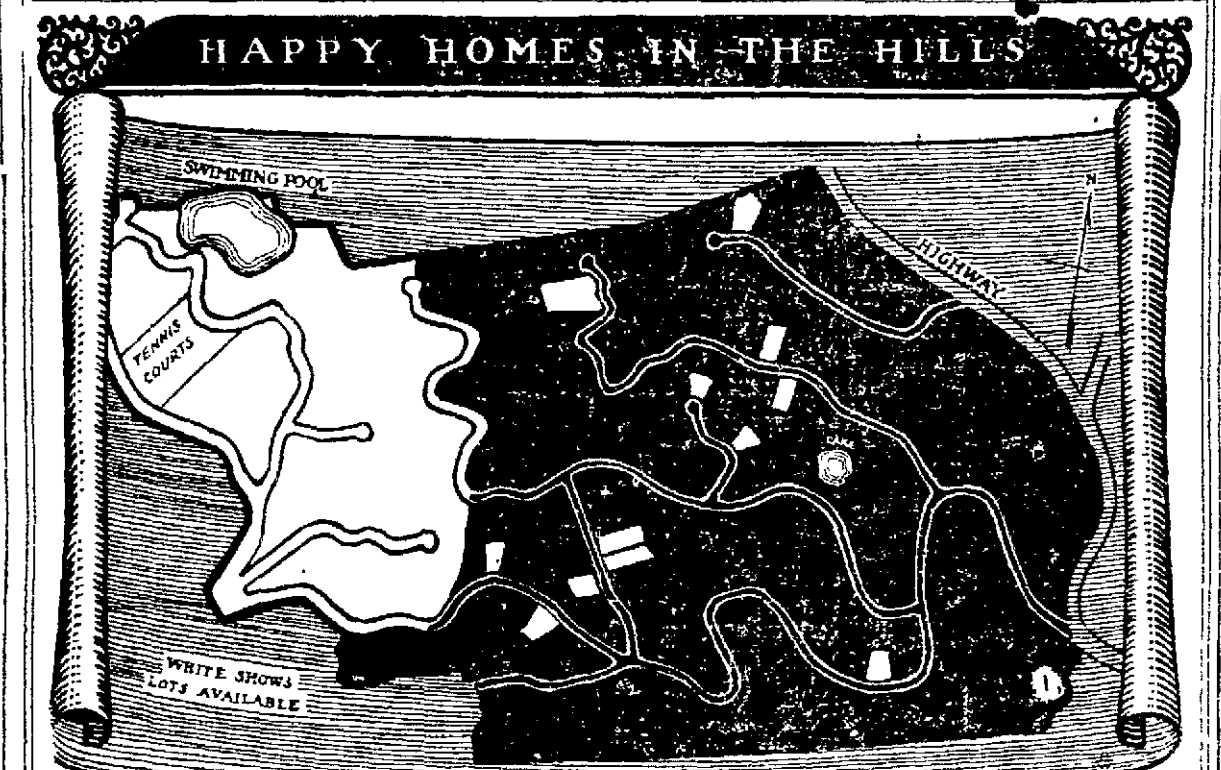
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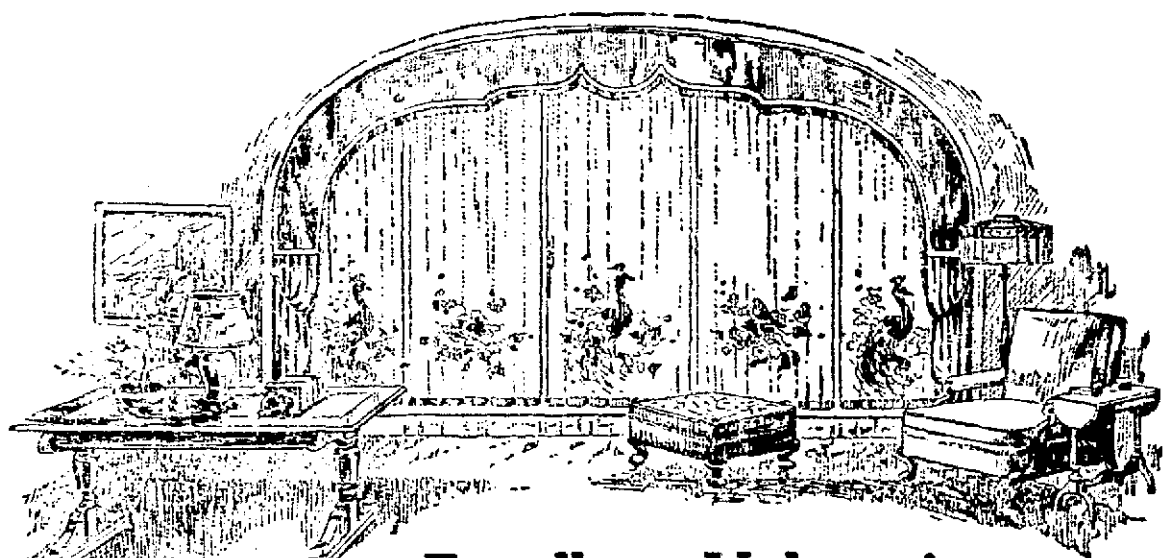
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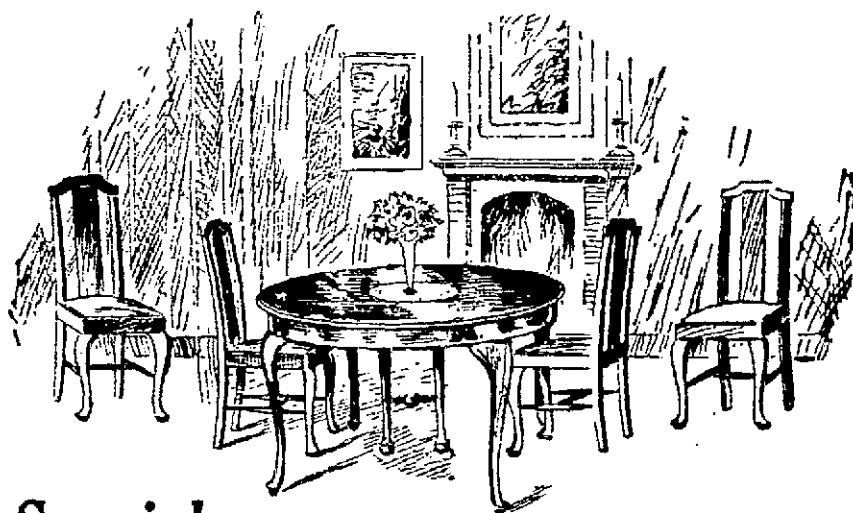
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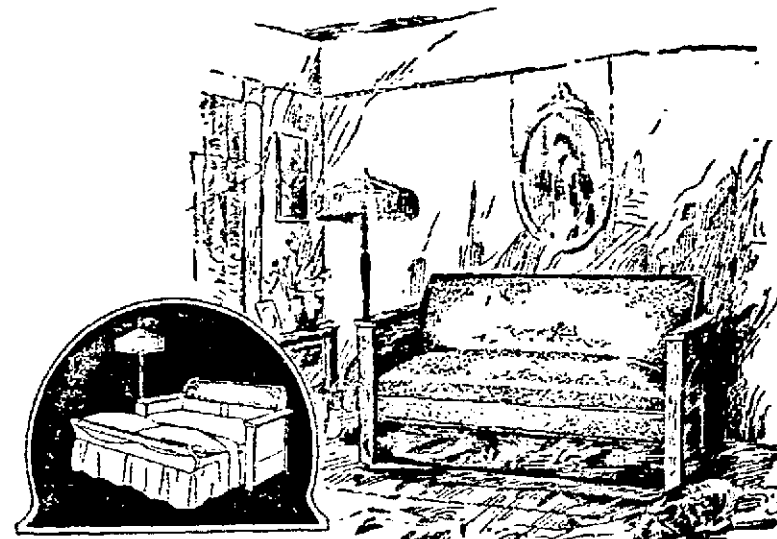
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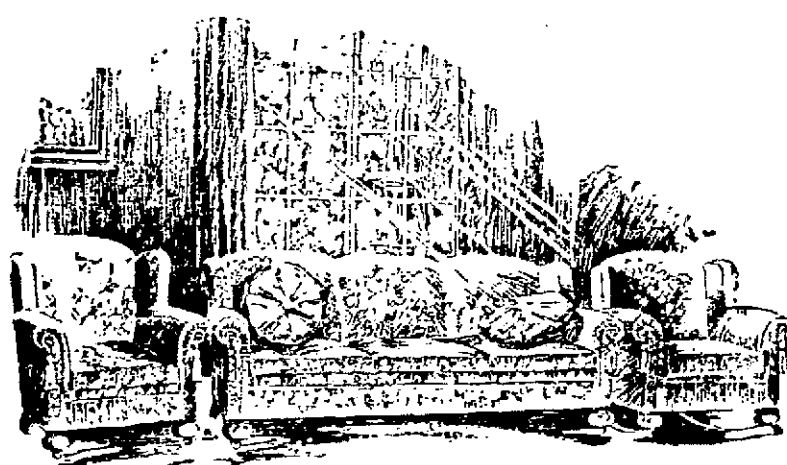
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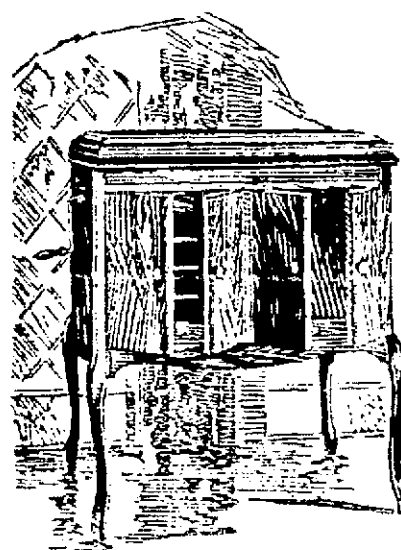
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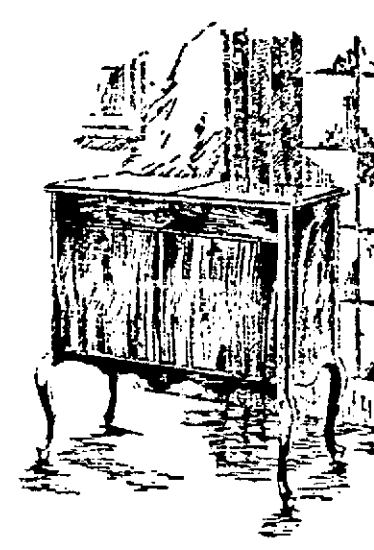
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SELECTIONS of your own choosing

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HARTFORD SAXONY RUG, size 9x12—\$105.00

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Wilton Rugs

WILTON VELVET RUGS, size 9x12—\$61.50

\$6.15 down, \$6.15 month

WILTON RUGS, size 9x12—\$87.50

\$8.75 down, \$8.75 month

Axminster Rugs

AXMINSTER RUGS, size 9x12—\$39.75

\$4.00 down, \$3.95 month

AXMINSTER RUGS, size 8.3x10.6—\$33.75

\$3.40 down, \$3.35 month

AXMINSTER RUGS, size 7.6x9—\$33.75

\$3.40 down, \$3.35 month

AXMINSTER RUGS, size 6x9—\$26.50

\$2.65 down, \$2.65 month

Velvet Rugs

VELVET RUGS, size 8.3x10.6—\$42.50

\$4.25 down, \$4.25 month

Tapestry Rugs

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS, size 11.3x15—\$43.75

\$4.40 down, \$4.35 month

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS, size 9x12—\$23.75

\$2.40 down, \$2.40 month

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS, size 8.3x10.6—\$23.50

\$2.35 down, \$2.35 month

Klearflax Rugs

KLEARFLAX RUGS, discontinued patterns, size 9x12—\$41.25

\$4.15 down, \$4.10 month

Utility Wool Rugs

UTILITY WOOL RUGS, size 9x12—\$21.75

\$2.20 down, \$2.15 month

UTILITY WOOL RUGS, size 8x10—\$19.50

\$1.95 down, \$1.90 month

UTILITY WOOL RUGS, size 6x9—\$15.25

\$1.55 down, \$1.50 month

UTILITY WOOL RUGS, size 4.6x7.6—\$12.75

\$1.25 down, \$1.20 month

Fibre Rugs

FIBRE RUGS, high grade, size 9x12—\$16.75

\$1.65 down, \$1.65 month

FIBRE RUGS, high grade, size 9x12—\$15.25

\$1.55 down, \$1.55 month

Small Wilton Rugs

WILTON RUGS, size 27x54 inch—\$11.95

\$1.15 down, \$1.15 month

WILTON RUGS, size 36x63—\$18.95

\$1.85 down, \$1.85 month

Rag Rugs

RAG RUGS, samples reduced 25 to 33 1/3 per cent. Includes oval braided rugs.

Carpeting

VELVET STAIR CARPET—\$1.55

Special at, yard

VELVET CARPET—\$2.55

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VELVET CARPET, 1 yard wide—\$5.85

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WIDE LOOM CARPET, 9 ft. wide—\$10.25

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WIDE LOOM CARPET, 9 ft. wide—\$6.95

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COTTON CHAIN CARPET—\$1.25

FILLING—Special at, yard

Prices includes laying, lining and sewing.

Pabcolin Rugs

PABCOLIN RUGS, size 9x12—\$12.50

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PABCOLIN RUGS, size 9x10.6—\$10.95

Special at, yard

PABCOLIN RUGS, size 7.6x9—\$7.95

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PABCOLIN RUGS, size 6x9—\$6.95

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PABCOLIN BY THE YARD—Special at 69¢ square yard (not laid).

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Heavy grade of Inlaid Linoleum—Special at \$1.29 square yard (not laid).

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DEATH BY NEVADA GAS IS PAINLESS, SAVANT REPORTS

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Unconsciousness, U. of C.
Professor States.

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—Death by gas as used in Nevada is practically painless, says Professor W. C. Bray of the chemistry department of the University of California.

"The gas smells and tastes bitter sweet, like a peach pit, which contains some of it," says the college professor. "After the first two or three breaths the prisoner is unconscious and dies in this state without pain."

"The men who watched the

execution through a window wore gas masks, which were entirely unnecessary, as the gas couldn't possibly escape in sufficient quantities to injure them in any way."

Professor Bray's statement contradicts that of the doctor who said that it was possible to be seriously injured by examining the men after the execution, if their clothes were damp.

"To be effective this gas must kill. If the man is just made unconscious he will recover quickly and with no lasting ill effects. The gas that was used to execute the condemned prisoner at Nevada is the same gas that is used for fumigating trees in Southern California. The way the hydrocyanic acid gas is used in the orange groves in Southern California shows that it may easily be handled safely. The men put a tent over the tree, carry the acid over in a pail, and set it under the tree where it evaporates. This very same gas probably came from Los Angeles for the execution."

Professor Bray, who has often used the gas in the laboratory, said that it was tried by the French during the war, but it was not effective.

The sister of Charles Lam's killed her mother in a fit of insanity.

"Y. W." OFFICIALS REVIEW GROWTH OF ORGANIZATION

Housing Problems in Oakland Keeps Room Registry Worker Busy.

The development and growth of the Young Women's Christian Association of Oakland was reviewed before the members at the annual meeting last week in the Webster street building by Mrs. Miles E. Fox, president, and Miss Alice M. Brookman, general secretary. The necessity for putting a full time room registry worker into the field was announced. The action is taken because of the housing problem which confronts Oakland in its rapid growth and the

overcrowded condition of both the hotel and boarding home sponsored by the "Y."

Seven hundred girl reserves have been recruited in the Eastbay region under the "Y" banner it was reported. The association is carrying on the only foreign center in West Oakland, as well as the only Japanese and Chinese headquarters in the city.

Particular attention was given to the work of the Negro center which has grown to such proportions that the Linden street headquarters will shortly become a branch of the local institution. The board of directors will be elected at the first annual meeting on Friday. An employment bureau, a room registry and special recreational and educational departments are being maintained under the direction of the secretary, Miss Ruth Moore. Candidates for the board of directors, which will be named this week, are: Mrs. Georgia Busch, Mrs. Mabel Calhoun, Mrs. A. Craig, Mrs. W. F. Henry, Mrs. J. Hudson, Miss Ida Jackson, Mrs. E. Prather, Mrs. T. L. Burnell, Mrs. M. Stafford, Mrs. E. S. Cott, Mrs. H. B. Tighman, Mrs. A. Wells, Mrs. A. Willes.

A tribute to the Community Chest which has solved the financial perplexities of the association was paid by Miss Brookman. Miss Margaret Williamson, a national secretary was a guest at the annual meeting. She reviewed the history of the "Y" movement from its inception in England to its present world wide significance with a membership in the United States alone of 600,000.

STATE AID FOR ALAMEDA COUNTY SCHOOLS RAISED

Allotment Per Pupil Is Increased to \$30 as Result of Attendance Growth.

State aid for Alameda county schools has been increased to \$30

per pupil in average daily attendance, as a result of the operation of "Constitutional Amendment Sixteen," according to a statement issued by David E. Martin, county superintendent of schools. The California school finance amendment was adopted in 1920.

The provision of this amount of state aid is now made obligatory by the constitution, and this aid therefore keeps pace with the increase in school attendance. Last year this county had an average daily attendance of 42,988 in the elementary schools and 13,010 in the high schools, and receives this year, as its share of the state aid, \$1,193,706.72 for elementary schools and \$348,738.30 for high schools. The increase in average daily attendance for 1923-1924 over 1922-1923 was one percent in the elementary school and thirteen percent in the high schools, bringing an increase of \$58,558.22 in the total state aid apportioned to the county. If it were necessary to raise by local tax the amount now furnished from the state funds, it would require an additional tax of 51 cents on the \$100 assessed valuation of property subject to county taxes in this county.

LIFE AT 15 WORTH \$2500. MANCHESTER, Eng.—A court fixed \$2500 as the value of a human life at 15 by awarding that sum to the father of Ruth Alton, a girl killed by a live wire.

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2,000 Yards of Fine SILKS

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A maker famous for the beauty of his sports silks, for the fine texture of his weaves, for the quality and lustre of his products—all combinations that have made his silks known from one end of the country to the other—has given us these wonderful price concessions.

These Beautiful Silks Could Not Be Associated With This Low Sale Price Were It Not for Capwell Merchandise Activities

While we cannot give the name of the maker in this advertisement you will find it imprinted in the selvage that there may be no question of the genuineness of these Silks.

In the collection—the first big Spring Silk Event—you will find many of the favorite weaves to set nimble fingers busy sewing. Included are

Brocades, Sports Silks, Monotone Prints, Krinkle Crepes

Also a variety of silk and wool skirtings. There are colors in beautiful and distinctive designs. Be here early Monday morning for a choice from the complete assortment.

(First Floor, Capwells)

New Sport Flannels and Velours Here

Sport frocks are very smart in flannel—Dame Fashion recognized this fact—and here are these most logical materials for sports dresses in alluring colors. Also velour checks, plaids and stripes.

54-inch Sports Flannel—in vivid colors of jade, citrus, wall flower, scarlet, madonna and others at \$2.95 yard.

54-inch velour checks, as popular as ever, in tan, gray, with colored checks. \$2.50 yard.

Camel's Hair and Polo Coatings

Still high in fashion's favor for coats. See the handsome shades—\$4.50 yard

Dress Fabrics—\$4.75

They have been coming in so fast that a marvelously interesting choice awaits you from among reductive plaids, stripes and soft solid tones. Width 54 inches.

All-Wool Jersey \$2.50 Yard

These, too, are 54 inches wide and come in every conceivable pretty sports shade.

(First Floor, Capwells)

Japanese Table Cloths (60x60) 95c

The regular \$1.45 quality and a choice of dark or light borders.

All-Linen Huck Towels 58c each

Hemstitched with fancy damask borders. Regular 75c value.

Turkish Towels—28c each

Our regular 40c quality. Size 19x38. A favorite weave and weight.

(First Floor, Capwells)

Colored Dress Linens, \$1.25

An extra fine quality of colored Irish dress linens already shrunk and fast color. All the pretty sports shades among them. Width 36 inches.

Fancy Ratines

Solid colors if you like them best, if not innumerable pretty checks and stripes. Prices range from 85c to \$4.50 yard.

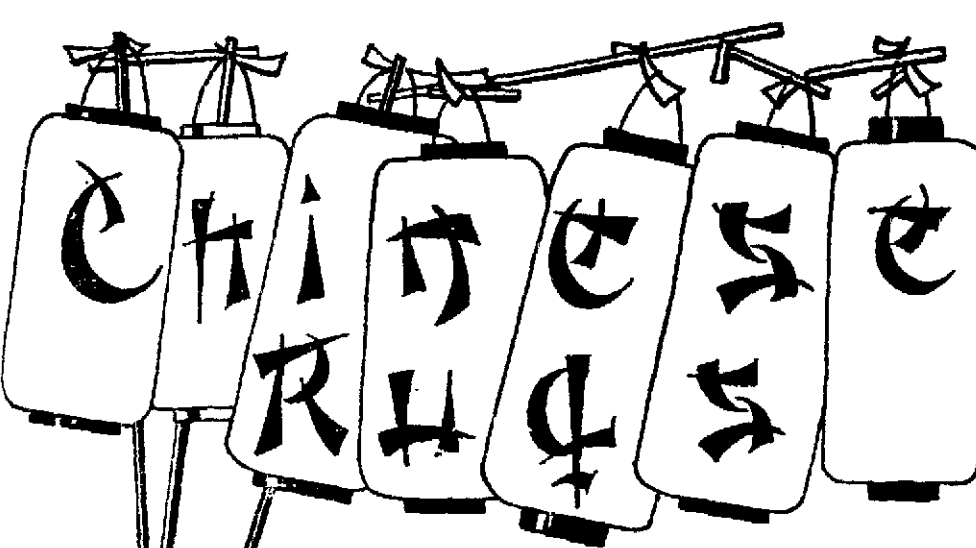
Glenmore Voiles, 50c Yard

38-inch fancy printed voiles in various designs in light and dark colorings. Very dainty for summer dresses.

—First Floor, Capwells.

A Sale of Chinese Rugs

Too Many Rugs
and Too Little
Space Bring You
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These Rugs Are New Importations from China, and Are of a
Beautiful Fine Quality and Large Sizes

Sold the Easy
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We say in all truth that we do not believe a better opportunity to buy beautiful Chinese Rugs has ever come to Oakland.

Now is the time of all times to make that Oriental Rug investment.

The prices at which our cramped space forces us to sell them is but little more than you pay for high-grade domestic rugs and you have a lifetime investment in rugs in which you will always take the greatest pride.

All Sold the Easy Pay Way

Note These Bedrock Prices

9x12 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$325 values for	\$237.00	6x9 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$175 values for	\$127.50
9x12 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$295 values for	\$197.50	4x7 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$95.00 values for	\$69.50
8x10 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$275 values for	\$187.50	4x7 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$75.00 values for	\$59.50
8x10 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$225 values for	\$147.50	2x4 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$29.50 values for	\$22.00
6x9 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$195 values for	\$137.50	2x4 Chinese Rugs— Reg. \$25.00 values for	\$18.50

(Fourth Floor, Capwells)

Sale of Persian Rugs, 25% to 50% off.

Special Purchases and Reductions From Stock
Included in the sales lots are handsome Persian Trans, Kazaks, Belouchistans, Shirvans, Mousouls, Kermanshahs and Lilihs, all at big price reductions.

(Fourth Floor)

Sale of Art Needlework

Stamped Goods and Pillows

We were fortunate enough to be able to secure these at a special price and we pass the savings on to our customers without delay.

Sale of Velour Pillows \$3.45

An attractive lot of velour pillows in round or oval shapes, all finished and ready for use.

Tapestry and Velour Pillows \$2.29

These are in oblong shapes and are very special at \$2.29.

COMBINATIONS AND NIGHTGOWNS—Dainty garments for the college girl or high school miss. Sale price \$1.25

PILLOW CASES—Of genuine Irish linen. Sizes 45x36. Stamped attractively. Special at \$5.25

CHILDREN'S BLOOMER DRESSES—Of pique stamped for embroidering. Sizes 6 to 8. Sale price \$1.29

Stamped Glass Towels Three for 50c

An idea for the Easter bride's shower gift

BOUDOIR SLIPS—Of shadow lace, ready for use. Special at 48c

UNBLEACHED APRONS—Semi-made and ready for patchwork and embroidery. Special at 35c

LUNCHEON SETS—36-inch cloth of hemstitched Indian head. Four napkins. Special at, set \$1

STAMPED SCARFS—Of Indian head with double hemstitching. Special at 60c

BUFFET SETS—Three-piece sets of Indian head attractively stamped. Special, each 35c

CENTERS AND SCARFS and stamped buffet set complete set at \$1

(Third Floor, Capwells)

CO-OPERATION URGED BY REALTORS' CHIEF; SURVEY OF POPULATION FIGURES

By E. VAN RIBBINK

Close co-operation between the Oakland Real Estate Board and the Chamber of Commerce is urged by Willard W. White, president of the Real Estate Board, and senior partner of the firm of White & Pollard, realtors. White declares that the city planning commission, to consist of city officials and private citizens.

"City planning, to be successful, and to insure to a community lasting benefits, must look thirty years and more ahead," President White declares. "Eastern cities that do not plan with an eye to the future are now spending millions of dollars for street widening, for beautification and the like. By planning intelligently at the present time Oakland will save the next generation, as well as the present, millions in expenditures."

Among early improvements that "will give us an object lesson in the value of city planning," White mentions the opening of East Twelfth street from Twenty-fourth avenue east. In the same connection he points to the fact that his firm recently concluded the sale of properties on Nineteenth street between Telegraph and San Pablo to out of town buyers, which sale, he declares, was a direct result of the announcement by the Oakland city council of its intention to open up Clay street.

That the views of outsiders in regard to Oakland are important, in view of the fact that they frequently indicate a clearer perspective, is instanced by President White in the statements of a recent visitor from Detroit, who was a guest of honor at the weekly luncheon of the Oakland Real Estate Board. The visitor, a member of Aspin Bros., a leading Detroit firm of realtors, declared that Detroit at present has a payroll of 500,000 employees. Oakland, he said, will become a second Detroit, in view of the fact that it enjoys great harbor facilities, that it occupies a commanding position for distribution and that it has the best railroad facilities on the Pacific coast.

Some interesting figures on Eastbay population and building are submitted by S. W. Straus & Co., a recent survey by this corporation states in part: "New communities of the country are developing more

rapidly than that on the east shore of San Francisco, and few are making greater effort toward adequate provision of housing for its new population and its expanding business. Yet its strenuous activity in building is not sufficient to reduce a housing shortage that has existed for several years and is barely sufficient to meet current demands of newly arrived citizens and institutions."

"The United States census of 1920 gave a total population of 33,439 for Alameda, Berkeley, Emeryville, Oakland, Piedmont, Richmond and San Leandro. The most reliable estimates obtainable at present for this area give a total of 369,400 for January, 1923, and 426,750 as of today, a gain of 29 per cent over 1920 and of over 15 1/2 per cent over January of 1923. Comparable building figures of the entire community for 1920 are not obtainable, but during 1922 building permits were issued calling for a total cost of \$34,173,768 and last year the total reached \$42,086,032, a gain of 23 per cent.

"The average cost per building permit is \$2714, while the average investment in new buildings for each new owner last year was \$736. These figures show that the class of construction in the Eastbay cities is slightly better than the average in west coast cities generally, but they also show that the investment per new owner is less. This indicates a lack of building program in proportion to increase in population, which is substantiated by the fact that rental schedules for new property are practically the same as in 1920 and rents for business property are higher. An analysis of the records of fifteen Western cities of greatest population gives an average percent cost of \$24.91 and an average new owner investment of \$1042.

"Every factor of the Eastbay community is growing in population more rapidly than ever before and at the same rate of growth which took place in 1923 this community should have a total population of 426,750 on January 1 next. If the present rate of building continues, this year's building permits should total nearly \$62,000,000, but the housing shortage would grow more acute and rent schedules proportionately higher. If, however, building operations are increased to meet new owner demands to the extent that the total of building will be more than \$69,900,000."

Harry C. Knight, general contractor, is erecting a two-story, sixteen-room apartment house for J. M. Linney on Orchard street, 195 feet west of Summit, Oakland. Total cost, \$15,000.

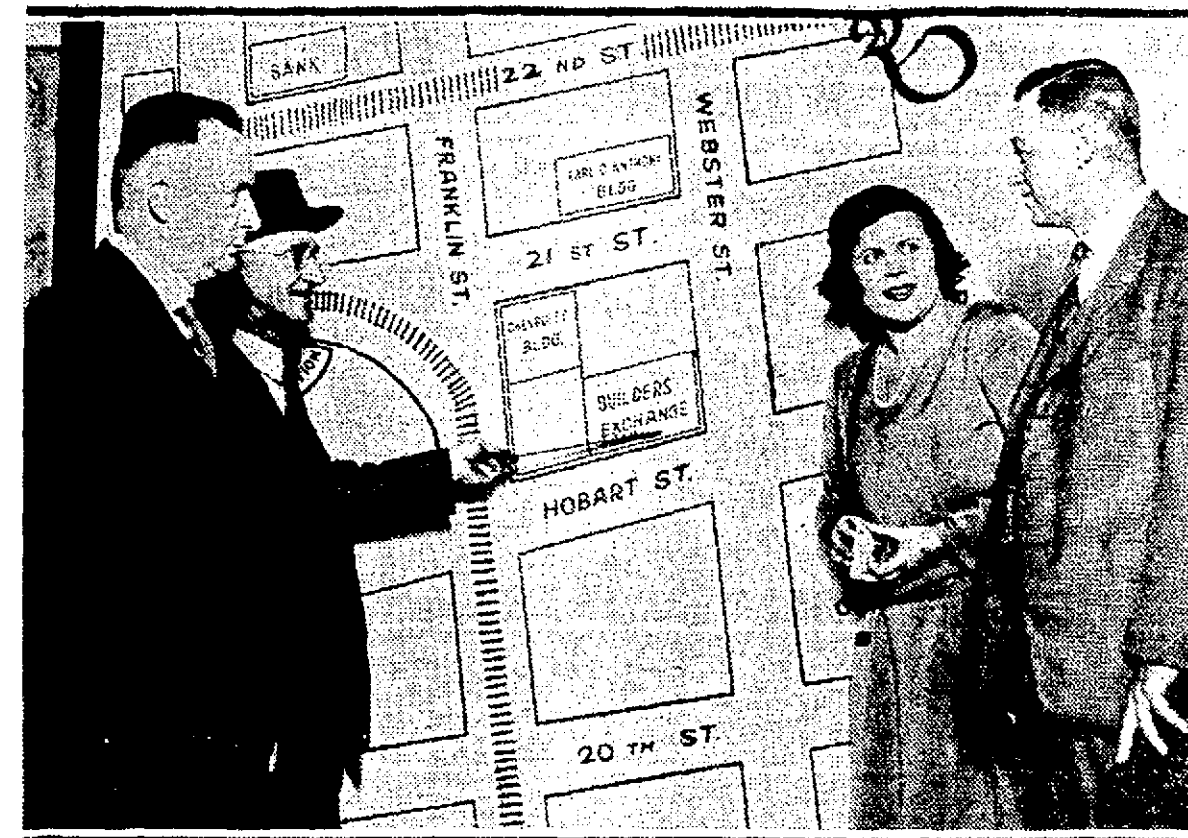
He is also erecting a three-story, twenty-four-room apartment and garage for M. Croop on Erie street, 250 feet north of Mandana boulevard, Oakland. Total cost, \$23,000.

Pacific Metal Products Co., sheet metal contractors, have been awarded the contract to do all the galvanized iron work for two-story concrete, brick and frame church on the northwest corner of Central avenue and Oak street, Alameda. Known as the First M. E. church of Alameda.

R. N. Osborn of the Bay Engineering Co., heating and ventilating engineers, has been awarded the contract to do the heating and ventilating on the above church. Total cost, \$6,554.

Royal Floor Co., represented by Sam Humphrey, has been awarded the contracts for the following

E. M. TILDEN, president of the Builders' Exchange, points out the coming center for the building industry in the Eastbay region. T. D. SEXTON, president of the Master Plasterers' Association, stands next to Tilden, facing MISS CECILIA JENSEN and W. G. THORNALLY.



BUSINESS CENTER FOR BUILDERS IS PLANNED

Establishment of a business center from which all Eastbay building activity will radiate will follow the construction of the new home of the Builders' Exchange at Hobart and Webster streets, according to announcements made yesterday by E. M. Tilden, the president of the builders' organization. In the sense that the financial district centers about California street in San Francisco, Tilden declares that the building industry for the Eastbay region will center around the new exchange building.

"The building crafts will have the distinction of forming the first business center in uptown Oakland," explained Tilden yesterday. "By the time that the new exchange building is completed Oakland will have a new business center for the building industry. This is assured by the fact that we have already been forced to add an additional story to the exchange building to accommodate tenants and that the material men, the contractors, architects and the supply houses are all arranging for business locations adjacent to the exchange."

"This will mean that the public and the contractors will have a direct transit of all of their business pertaining to building within the radius of but a few blocks."

The exchange building, it is announced, will be ready for occupancy by August 1.

Jobs: Three story apartment building, Haste street near Ellisworth, Berkeley; Allen & Conrad, general contractors; owner, Mrs. Mary W. Stevens. Three-story house to be built for S. H. Harbuck, Bellevue near Grand avenue; Spanish residence for George Van Black at 812 Prospect; residence for J. C. Fomble, 2012 Erie street; residence for Mrs. P. E. Nichols, 2241 Glenn terrace, Berkeley; Ben Pearson, general contractor; they have just completed work in the St. Stevens M. E. church, East Thirtieth street, and Park boulevard. Also four apartment buildings for John P. Brennan on Delaware street near California street, Berkeley.

J. B. Petersen, general contractor, is erecting a one story concrete garage for Davis & Nielson on East Nineteenth street near Twentieth avenue, East Oakland.

Ben Pearson, general contractor, has been awarded the contract to erect a residence for S. C. Henson on Masterson street, 150 feet east of Maybelle avenue, Oakland.

J. H. Fitzmaurice, concrete contractor, has the concrete work on the following jobs under way: Centerville high school, Centerville; Heesman building, Thirteenth and Clay streets; J. C. Achson, Spruce and Virginia, Berkeley; Sonora house, Channing way near Collee; Dr. Rowe and Sweet job, Moss avenue and Howe street.

M. E. Hopper & Son, general contractors, are erecting a one story addition to the Star Agency show rooms of L. A. Dory at Twelfth and Fallon streets.

Shaw & Co., general contractors, formerly Shaw & Watson, are erecting a one story five-room dwelling for Loren Thompson on Alameda at Kingsland avenue near Madera, Oakland.

S. Kulcher & Co., cabinet works, have been awarded the contract to remodel the store on the northwest corner of Twelfth and Franklin streets for the Loeb Realty company.

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Arrangements Being Made for Building Show

EXTENSIVE alterations are under way at the Builders' Exhibit, 1424 Franklin street, preparatory to the Second Annual East Bay Better Building Show, which is to be staged March 14th to 22nd.

Manager Benj. S. Ehersole states that all present exhibitors are re-decorating and remodeling their exhibits for the show; and that owing to the great demand for Eastbay industry leaders for display booths that a great deal more floor space than that occupied by the present exhibit may have to be obtained.

LAKE SHORE HIGHLANDS VALUES HIGH

Property values have tripled in Lakeshore Highlands, Oakland's splendid residential park, according to Walter H. Leimert, president of the Lakeshore Homes Association and head of the Walter H. Leimert Co., developers of the tract. In making his annual report at the meeting of the Lakeshore Homes Association held at the Key Route Inn, Oakland, last Monday night.

"During the past year there has been a distinctive and extraordinary rise in values," reported Leimert. "This is undoubtedly due to two factors—the splendid manner in which you Lakeshore Homes Association through its various committees have carried out the ideas and ideals of the founders to maintain Lakeshore Highlands as a distinctive residential park; and second, because property values in the Eastbay have risen, but particularly in your home district. In fact values have tripled during the past few years."

Lakeshore Highlands is recognized as the most beautiful in California. In fact, Harland Bartholomew, noted city planner of St. Louis, told me he considered this to be one of the most beautiful residential parks in America."

Leimert also declared that this property was a potential residential district of San Francisco, by reason of its splendid transportation facilities. Additional facilities for transportation have been arranged with the Key System, Leimert reported. This is an extension of the present Key Lines, 1000 feet to the entrance of Lakeshore Manor, a unit of Lakeshore Highlands.

The Lakeshore Homes Association is comprised of property owners and features many special applications that will interest the prospective home owner, it is pointed out. An easy payment plan will enable families to make their home in this fast growing district.

Latin American Trade Growing

The trade of the United States with Latin America for 1923, showing an increase of 25 per cent in exports and 29 per cent in imports from those over 1922, reflects the healthy development of inter-American trade and should go far to dispel the feeling prevalent in some quarters that American exporters are not "holding their own" in Latin American markets, according to Dr. Julius Klein, director of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

More than 400 homes of a greater total value than \$4,000,000 have been built in Lakeshore Highlands during the past few years. During 1923 some 200 homes were built.

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PEDGRIFT NAMED APPRAISER FOR PRUDENTIAL CO.

Announcement is made that James H. Pedgrift will act as appraiser for the Prudential Insurance Company of America. This company is making mortgage loans on improved real estate in the bay cities on business and home properties.

In speaking of his appointment Pedgrift stated: "A company with the Prudential's standing and large resources bringing funds into this fast-developing territory is to be encouraged and I am willing to do my part. Of course this will not interfere with my contracting business."

"Every builder must count on my giving a fair building and realty value. These loans are so attractive, both as to rate and other terms, that they should be carefully looked into."

The firm of Jamieson-Towle-Wiloughby, 1433 Franklin street, 602 Mills building, San Francisco, are making the loans in this territory for the Prudential company.

HOPPER AND SON START WORK ON BIG HOME TRACT

M. E. Hopper and Son, who have built many of the Eastbay school buildings, including Piedmont, Elmhurst and Laxar, have started work on sixty-five new bungalow homes on Ritchie avenue and Hillside near Foothill boulevard, it is announced.

Each home is individual in plan, and features many special appliances that will interest the prospective home owner, it is pointed out. An easy payment plan will enable families to make their home in this fast growing district.

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PROGRAM IS OUTLINED BY ASSOCIATION

Multiple Sales Association Has Much Important Work Ahead for This Year for Boosting of East Oakland

At the last meeting of the board of directors of the Oakland Multiple Sales Association a constructive program of activities was outlined looking toward 1924 as the greatest real estate year in Oakland's history.

The program outlined emphasized among other things the desirability of East Oakland as a residential section as well as a center of industrial activity.

It was pointed out that new residential tracts are being constantly put on the market in the east of the lake section—districts that are rapidly sold and built up by attractive and desirable homes.

The fact that the sales negotiated through members of the Multiple Sales Association have been phenomenal and beyond all expectations served further to emphasize the demand for east of the lake property, the directors disclosed.

It is anticipated by the board that improvements in the newly created residential tracts will go on to a gigantic scale, along lines never before attempted in this section of Oakland.

To bring about a closer cooperation between buyer and seller and members of the Multiple Sales Association, a uniform appraisal of all property east of the lake is being worked out further to emphasize the demand for east of the lake property, the directors disclosed.

The association also plans sweeping changes as to membership requirements to keep pace with the public demand for service. An increase in the office force to handle the volume of business transacted through the association is under consideration.

The Oakland Multiple Sales Association has an active membership of 74 east of the lake real estate offices and a staff of 500 wide-awake salesmen. This expert service is available to both buyer and seller, according to O. C. Gould, executive secretary of the organization.

GOLDEN WEST CO. ANNOUNCES BIG EXTENSIONS

Important extensions of the business of the Golden West Tannery, 267 Twelfth street, are announced for this year by Clarence R. Baender, sales manager for the company. The factory manufactures and packs raviolis, enchiladas, boneless chicken males, chili con carne and mushrooms. John T. Costa and Fred T. Costa are the owners.

Baender states that the present pack is about 2000 cases per month and that the factory is now shipping much of its product to Los Angeles. The company expects to double its pack within the next few months and to sell as far east as Colorado.

The Golden West factory is the only establishment of its kind in the Eastbay district. It commenced manufacturing in December, 1922, and has recently installed machinery enabling the packing of 100 cases per day.

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Arthur W. Finn
Noted expert on downtown business properties, joins White & Pollard offices.



ARTHUR W. FINN JOINS WHITE AND POLLARD CO.

Arthur W. Finn, well-known Oakland realtor and specialist in downtown properties, has joined the staff of White & Pollard, realtors of 1300 Webster street, it is announced.

Finn, one of the "most popular members of the Realty Board," and a prominent member of the board's achievement committee, has been with the Layman company for some seventeen years. In his new connection with White & Pollard he will handle downtown properties. Many large business property sales and leases in Oakland have been negotiated during the past few years by Finn.

White & Pollard announce several new ramifications of their business. These include the representation, by this firm, of a large loan and investment corporation, with a huge fund of Southern states capital at its command.

Part of this fund the company intends to loan on the construction and financing of business and apartment properties in the Eastbay region. In commenting on the fact that they will represent this concern, White & Pollard state: "In the past one of the big problems has been a lack of available money for loans on new construction. The advent of outside capital is therefore welcomed by all who have the progress of the Eastbay at heart."

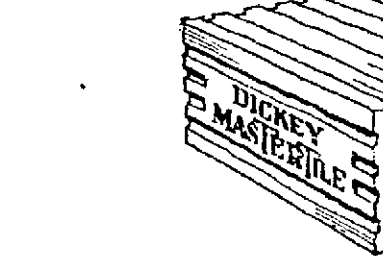
Four sales on San Pablo avenue, two of which meant the immediate construction of new buildings, are reported by White & Pollard for the past few days.

New Releases by Victor Company

Two songs by Lucezia Bori, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, and "celle records by Hugo Kreler are among this week's releases by the Victor Talking Machine Company. Other numbers released include songs by the Criterion and the Shannon quartets, numbers by Eddie Ross on the banjo and songs by Henry Durr and F. Baur. Four new fox-trots and two waltzes are also included.

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BODEN TO OPEN NEW TOWN SITE

Fifty-Acre Sub-Division on Foothill Blvd. to Have All Facilities, Including Stores and Good Transportation

C. W. Boden announces the development of a new town site on the Foothill Boulevard, on his 50-acre subdivision which he recently purchased. The town site will be named Beverly because it is located in Beverly Terrace. Here Boden states, will be built a genuine community center with neighborhood stores of every description.

This district is developing so rapidly that the need for this town site has long been felt. This news is of interest to property holders along the Foothill boulevard, since it means the development of a trading and retail center in the heart of the most rapidly developing section in Oakland and will serve to strengthen real estate values on the Foothill boulevard, it is pointed out.

The Foothill boulevard started this week clearing and grading the streets for the townsite. The streets will be paved according to the City of Oakland specifications with cement curbs and gutters. It is explained to rush the work to completion as hurriedly as possible and the work will be well under way before the opening sale.

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27 Pct. Increase in Lumber Freight

A new record was established for forest products loadings during 1923 when the railroads handled 3,745,485 cars. This was an increase of 27 per cent over the loadings of 1922, which totaled 2,939,045 cars, 51 per cent over the 1921 loadings of 2,486,581 cars, and 22 per cent above the 1920 mark of 2,057,730 cars.

This gives a little idea of what the lumber industry means to the railroads and also it gives an idea of what good transportation facilities mean to lumbering. Forest products ranked third in total of car loading and represented 7.5 per cent of total railroad freight.

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EAST OAKLAND IS STILL IN NEED OF MORE HOMES

S. W. Davidow Will Start Building of Second Unit of Homes.

S. W. Davidow, who has done considerable building in the vicinity of Sixty-ninth avenue, is now beginning the construction of a second unit of 37 dwellings of five rooms each, which he claims is the type of home supplying the greatest demand.

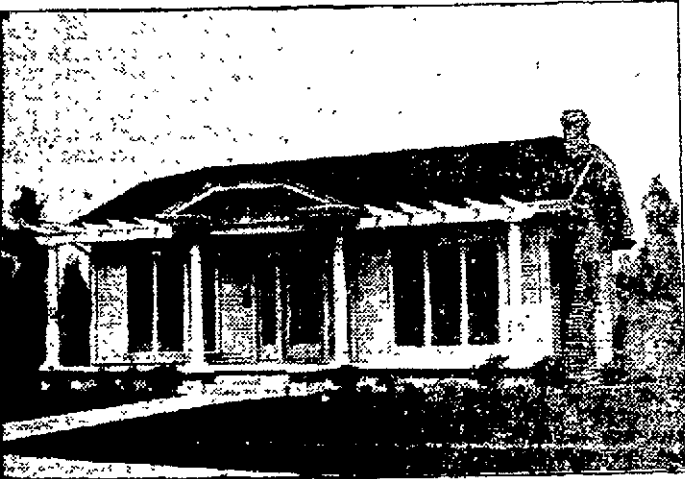
Davidow states that the big daily demand from home seekers prompts him to start the construction of the second unit, which was originally not contemplated for another two or three months.

All of the homes now built on Sixty-ninth avenue are occupied and a number of the second unit are already sold. It is reported, Davidow feels that a moderate priced home, which is selling from \$3850 to \$4500 is the type desired by the newcomers and accordingly he has decided to commence the construction of the second unit at once.

Pacific Gas and Electric Company has applied to the Railroad Commission for a certificate to exercise the rights and privileges granted to it under a franchise by the Board of Supervisors of Fresno county for the distribution of gas in that county.

The imports of tea into the United States in 1923 showed an increase of 10,651,102 pounds, rising from 90,097,242 pounds, valued at \$28,825,035 in 1922 to 101,148,344 pounds, valued at \$29,928,722.

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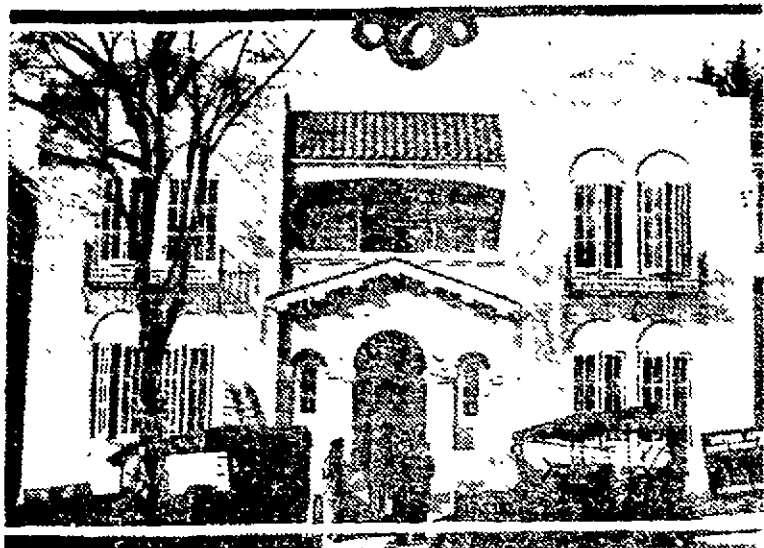
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The new store is a handsome establishment and contains a splendid array of styles.

**NEW BERKELEY
APTS. NEARING
COMPLETION**

An attractive apartment house, built in mission style of architecture, is nearing completion on Dwight way, near Telegraph Avenue, Berkeley. The structure is being built for the account of A. Tibbe, who is widely known in eastern manufacturing circles as the founder of the Missouri Meerschaum Company, manufacturers of corncob pipes. Tibbe is now a resident of this city, and is interested in an Alameda industrial concern.

The new apartment house, to be known as the Selkirk Apartments, contains thirty-two rooms, arranged in suites of two rooms and bath. Besides large living rooms, there are private halls, spacious closets and tiled bathrooms, hardwood floors, steam heat, electric light and hot water.

The property has a frontage of 55 feet on Dwight way, and a depth of 150 feet. F. W. Maurice has built the apartments for the account of Tibbe.

Rubber Goods Exports Grow

The total value of exports of rubber goods from the United States in 1923 was \$36,372,170, a gain of \$2,922,862 over the 1922 value. This result is the more remarkable because of the lower 1923 unit values in practically every line of products, says E. G. Holt of the rubber division of the Department of Commerce in an analysis of our foreign rubber markets. Exports of tires and tire sundries decreased in value from \$20,102,382 in 1922 to \$20,320,753 in 1923, in spite of heavier unit shipments of each of the seven classes of products reported in the group. There was, however, a decided and striking increase in the exports of solid tires for automobiles.

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Real Estate Boards of California to Compete in Baseball Series.

The gift of a handsome bronze trophy to the real estate board of the state which will win the baseball game to be played at the next annual convention of the California Real Estate Association, has caused favorable comment in all parts of the state. In the February issue of California Real Estate, the official journal of the state association, Wood has contributed an article explaining this state-wide contest. This article is also to be used in the official publication of the National Real Estate Association.

The article in California Real Estate is as follows:
The sale of residence subdivisions and the listing of properties will be the only activity of the Real Estate Association with the coming of spring. These two magic words, "play ball!" will be used as often as the term "90-day option," "exclusive contract" and "my sales for the month ran well over a half-million dollars."

The Realtors of the state are going in for the national game with the same vim and energy they display in building up their respective communities. They will lay aside their business cares and will take to the diamond to improve their batting eyes, take the kinks out of their souped-up and develop a few charley horses in their "neither limbs. It is hard to say at this distance just what the result will be and he who would dare to make predictions is a bold man indeed. But if I should I would be willing to prognosticate that at least one Babe Ruth will be developed from all the material at hand and there should be several Siskiers, Hornsby's and one or two Alouisers.

It is an appropriate fact that the Realtors of the state should form a baseball league. The baseball and real estate professions are synonymous in a number of ways. It is necessary for the Realtor to keep his eye on the ball as it is for the baseball player. Just as baseball is the cleanest, keeneest and most scientific of all sports so the business of the Realtor is one requiring honest thinking, quick action and keeping everlastingly on the job.

Because of these things the Oakland Real Estate Board has taken the initiative and outlined a plan for the formation of a league, consisting of a series of teams to represent the real estate boards of the southern portion of the state and a set of teams representing the real estate boards of the northern part of the state. The winner of the southern group will play the winner of the northern teams for the championship of the state, the victor to be a handsome one which will be the gift of the writer. This championship contest will be played at Pasadena and will be a feature of the annual state convention.

Because this series of games is to start in the early spring I would urge that the real estate boards lose no time in lining up their talent. While it is not my intention to take sides being the donor of the trophy to be awarded the winner, I would like to make it clear to our southern brothers that this will be a real contest and they should lose no time in lining up their material and getting into trim. We are already sizing up our members and prospective candidates are being given the up and down. Realtors only will be permitted to play.

About sixteen cities in the state are eligible for membership in this league. These cities are about evenly divided between the north and the south. Some interesting contests in the elimination series of games should result and there should be no question that the two teams meeting in the big game are the champions in their respective divisions.

It has not yet been decided as to how many elimination games are to be played. This will depend upon the interest taken. It has been suggested that a good plan to adopt, in case not enough cities

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organize teams, will be for one of the southern cities, for example, to issue a challenge, which can be put in the form of a letter to the secretary of the state association, to any other southern city. If this challenge is not accepted the challenger automatically becomes the champion of the south. The same procedure can be followed in the north. The north will enter a number of teams and a real contest for the championship will develop.

These suggestions are put forward by me as chairman of the baseball committee of the Oakland Real Estate Board. I am captain of the Oakland baseball club, but will handle my team from the bench. The responsibility placed upon me as chairman of this important committee is fully appreciated and I hope in all earnestness that all the cities having a real estate board will get back of this project and help put it over. Nothing but good feeling can result from such a series and I know of no plan which will do more to unite the Realtors of the state together.

I would suggest that Saturday afternoon after the convention has adjourned be set aside for the baseball game. The baseball trophy is of bronze, with gold lining, and is adorned with the figure of a baseball player. The names of the players of the winning team will be engraved on the trophy and it will become their property. This is part of the convention week can be made a very interesting feature. The Oakland team is practically complete. We will throw a formidable aggregation into the field and will give a real contest to

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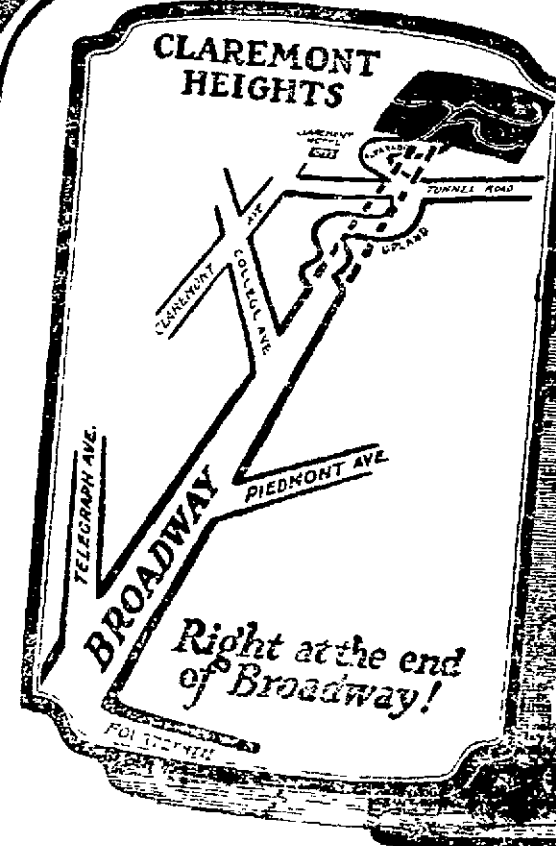
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